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# B-G May Present New Coalition Next Monday

## Labour Partnership Seen Assured

POST Political Reporter

**President Ben-Zvi on Tuesday formally entrusted Prime Minister Ben-Gurion with the task of forming the new Government. The Premier is expected to present a new Cabinet to the Knesset on Monday, comprising Mapai, Mapam and Ahdut Ha'avoda — together with the Progressives and the National Religious Party if negotiations with these two parties are successfully concluded by then.**

Since Mr. Ben-Gurion is confined to his home with a slight chill, the President took the unprecedented step of calling on the Prime Minister at his Jerusalem residence for the purpose of the formal notification.

### Labour Parties Meet

Coalition partnership between the three labour parties was virtually restored after a two-hour meeting yesterday afternoon at Mr. Ben-Gurion's house, at which leaders of Mapai, Mapam and Ahdut Ha'avoda were present. Messrs. L. Eshkol, M. Namir, P. Sapir, G. Josephthal and A. Govrin of Mapai, Messrs. M. Ya'ari, Y. Hazan, Y. Barzilai and R. Arazi of Mapam, and Messrs. Y. Galili, Y. Ben-Aharon, M. Carmel, M. Erem and M. Almozlino of Ahdut Ha'avoda took part in the talks.

The distribution of portfolios, legislation on collective Cabinet responsibility, and the freedom of vote for the left-wing parties on questions related to Germany, military government and activities of pioneer youth movements were the main topics of the meeting. While Mapai is willing to allow abstention on these four issues, Mapam and Ahdut Ha'avoda are seeking freedom to vote as they wish should these questions come up in the Knesset.

### Basic Principles

Mr. Ben-Gurion is today to present the "basic principles" of the new Government, which do not differ much from those of the outgoing Cabinet. At yesterday's meeting a joint six-member committee was appointed which is to meet towards the end of the week to iron out remaining differences. The committee will be headed by Mr. Govrin and is to comprise Messrs. Eshkol, Barzilai, Rubin, Ben-Aharon and Erem.

The new Mapai appointments comprise Aluf Moshe Dayan as Minister of Agriculture, Dr. Giora Josephthal as Minister of Labour and Mr. Abba Eban as Minister without Portfolio. Mr. Ben-Gurion, Mrs. Meir, Mr. Eshkol, Mr. Sapir and Mr. Shitrit retain their present positions, as does Rabbi Y.M. Toledano.

The President yesterday morning received the five Knesset members of the Mapai-affiliated Arab parties, Sheikh Labib Abu Rukun, Mr. Yussef Abdallah Diab, Mr. Ahmed Kamil a-Daher, Mr. Elias Nakhle and Mr. Mahmoud el-Nashif. (The last delegation was Mr. M. Wilner and Mr. Toufik Toubi of the Communists, who are the smallest Knesset faction and the only party which opposed the formation of the new Government by Mapai.

## 5 Deputy Speakers Elected

Jerusalem Post Knesset Reporter

The Knesset yesterday elected five Deputy Speakers. They are Mr. Yisrael Yeshayahu (Mapai), Mr. Aryeh Ben-Eliezer, (Herut), Mr. Ya'acov Greenberg (National Religious), Mr. Hanan Rubin (Mapam), and Mr. Binyamin Mintz (Poalei Agudа).

The vote followed a prior agreement between the four largest Knesset factions — Mapai, Herut, National Religious, and Mapam — in addition to Aguda-Poalei Aguda, whereby Mapai would get two Deputy Speakers and the three other parties one each. Mapai then turned its second Deputy Speakership over to Mr. Mintz. His party has undertaken not to vote against the Government.

Before voting for the specific candidates, the Knesset took up the question of how many Deputy Speakers there should be. In the First Knesset there were two; in the Second Knesset, four; and in the Third Knesset, eight.

Mr. Akiva Govrin (Mapai), in a one-sentence motion, proposed that five Deputy-Speakers be elected.

### Two Deputies Proposed

Mr. Yosef Serlin (General Zionists) moved that there be only two. With the Speakership itself in the hands of Mapai, the two Deputies should represent the next two largest parties — Herut and the National Religious — he said.

The inclusion of Mr. Mintz among the prospective Deputy Speakers was especially open to question, Mr. Serlin asserted. It was not clear whether Mr. Mintz belonged to a faction comprising six M.K.'s or only three (since the three Aguda members and the three Poalei Aguda members do not always vote as a bloc).

But even if it was a *bona fide* six-man faction, why did it rate a Deputy Speaker, while the Progressives (6 members) and Ahdut Ha'avoda (7) did not? (The General Zionists have eight M.K.'s.)

Mr. Yitzhak Ben-Aharon (Ahdut Ha'avoda) moved that the number of Deputy Speakers remain at eight, while Mr. Tewfik Toubi (Communist) proposed raising the number to ten. What the Knesset really should do, Mr. Toubi said, was to fix a permanent number of Deputy Speakers rather than have each Knesset decide the question anew in accordance with "the convenience of coalition negotiations."

The motion to elect five Deputy Speakers was adopted by a vote of 71-11. It was supported by Mapai, Herut, the National Religious, Mapam, and Aguda-Poalei Aguda. It was opposed by the General Zionists, Ahdut Ha'avoda and the Communists. The Progressives abstained.

Each of the five candidates — who were all nominated by Mr. Govrin—was voted on separately. No votes were cast against any of them, although there were abstentions. Nor were any other candidates nominated.

## De Gaulle Message Thanks Ben-Zvi

President Ben-Zvi has received a cable from President Charles de Gaulle of France thanking him for his message of sympathy on the Frejus disaster.

The cable read: "I am most moved by the condolences sent by His Excellency on the Frejus disaster. In the name of the French nation, and in my own name, may I express my sincere thanks."

The Union of Local Authorities is raising IL1,000 to aid the Frejus flood victims, it was announced in Tel Aviv yesterday.

### BAGHDAD DIPLOMATS GREET KASSEM

Premier Kassem of Iraq on Tuesday received the members of the diplomatic corps in Baghdad who came to congratulate him on his recovery from the wounds he received in the recent attempt on his life, Baghdad radio reported.

## New French, Belgian Ambassadors Arrive

Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA. — The new Ambassadors of France and Belgium, M. Jean Adolphe Bourdeillette and M. Jean Leroy, arrived here last night aboard the s.s. Theodor Herzl.

They were received by the Chief of Protocol, Mr. A. Gliboa; the Chargés d'Affaires of the respective Embassies, and members of their staffs. The liner was delayed for two hours because the vessel developed a slight limp some ten miles from port.

The Belgian Ambassador is to present his credentials on Thursday and the French on Sunday.

When journalists attempted to interview the two diplomats, M. Bourdeillette reminded them that he could not answer questions before he had presented his letters of credence. He said, however, that he had followed Israel's development and would do everything to strengthen still further the existing friendship between the two countries.

The new Belgian Ambassador arrived with Mme. Leroy and their nine-year-old son. M. Leroy said that he had been here once before — for ten days during last year's Tenth Anniversary celebrations — and had been impressed by the efforts to build up the country. He felt sure that further progress had been made since then.

Both Ambassadors and their parties left at once for Tel Aviv.

## Mitterand Indicated On Contempt Charge

PARIS (Reuter). — Left-wing Senator Francois Mitterand, whose parliamentary immunity was lifted by the Senate on November 25, was yesterday formally charged with contempt of court by Examining Magistrate Jean Perez.

## 15 Die in Renewed Congo Trial Strife

LULUABOURG, Belgian Congo (Reuter). — Fifteen Africans, including a woman and two children, were killed in a fresh outbreak of tribal fighting in the African quarter of this south Congo town on Monday night, the Belgian news agency, Belga, reported yesterday.

A dusk-to-dawn curfew was imposed in the African suburb of Nganza on Monday after two Africans were killed in week-end clashes between Lulua and Baluba tribesmen.

Seven weeks ago inter-tribal fighting flared up in the same region with Lulua tribesmen attacking their traditional enemies, the Baluba.

## *New UK Envoy in Cairo Presenting Credentials*

CAIRO (Reuter). — Mr. Colin Crowe, newly appointed British Chargé d'Affaires in Cairo, will present his letters of credence at the U.A.R. Foreign Ministry today, it was officially announced here yesterday.

Three leading Cairo newspapers yesterday ran almost identical headlines saying that the "crisis" between the U.A.R. and Britain, over the plan to set up a "Moorhouse Museum" at Port Said, was dead or closed.

## U.S., Pakistani Presidents Discuss Kashmir Dispute

KARACHI.—President Eisenhower yesterday pledged continued American aid to Pakistan, a "courageous ally," and agreed with President Mohammed Ayub Khan that free world cooperation for mutual security against Communism is essential.

For his part, Gen. Ayub described Mr. Eisenhower as "an extraordinary head of an extraordinary state. Never before in the history of man has one single country taken upon itself so much to preserve the peace and freedom of others as the U.S."

In what appeared to be an indirect reference to Pakistan's dispute with India over Kashmir, they said they discussed "relations among the nations of the area and the urgent desirability of finding solutions to existing disputes."

### Asks for Details

The Presidential Press Secretary, Mr. James Hagerty, said in a briefing that the President had asked Gen. Ayub for details about Pakistan's position on Kashmir and Afghanistan, but had made no specific recommendations.

The two leaders summed up talks during Mr. Eisenhower's two-day visit in a 400-word communique which said they "reviewed generally world-wide political questions and in particular the problems of relations between the free world and the Sino-Soviet bloc."

Their talks had been sandwiched between the most tumultuous welcome ever given a visitor to Pakistan and a sight-seeing tour in which Mr. Eisenhower saw a wild display of wheeling horseback manoeuvres by Pakistani cavalrymen, and was cheered anew by a crowd of 50,000 at a cricket match, one of the test series between Pakistan and Australia.

During a civil welcome at the sun-baked polo grounds, Mr. Eisenhower told 15,000 Pakistanis that the U.S. would continue its aid programme to "a loyal people who love peace, but put justice and freedom above all."

The President said there were signs of increasing demands that some system of enforceable disarmament be agreed on among nations. "There is no reason to hesitate in this great undertaking," he said. "There can be no winner in any future global war," and the entire world must insist that the conference table, rather than force, be used for settlement of international differences.

"Every national leader worthy of his name must participate in this effort," he declared.

The President was warmly applauded by guests in the enclosure, while the uninvited outside chanted again and again "Eisenhower Zindabad" (Long Live Eisenhower).

### Colourful Audience

Mr. Eisenhower's audience at the polo field was one of the most colourful he has seen. The crowd included visiting U.S. sailors, old men in huge ragged turbans resting in the shade of 1959 cars, veiled women, their long black robes dragging in the dust, who jostled women wearing the latest from New York and Paris.

His sight-seeing trip to the Karachi housing development with President Ayub was made in a helicopter, and the two Presidents dedicated a new school and market from 100 feet up in the air. The project was built with U.S. aid funds amounting to 422m. As the Presidents flew over the area 20,000 below cheered, waved and released scores of brightly coloured baloons to float upward towards the President's 'copter.

This morning the two Presidents go together by helicopter to Mauripur airport where, after brief ceremonies, Mr. Eisenhower is scheduled to depart for Kabul, Afghanistan, next stop on his 11-nation world peace tour.

*(UPI, Reuter)*

## Nehru: Crisis With China 'Long-Term'

NEW DELHI (Reuter). — Prime Minister Nehru warned India yesterday that the border crisis with China was long-term, not short-term, and said the country must urgently develop heavy industry to provide both guns and butter.

All he had to offer in the building up of India's economic strength was, in the words of Sir Winston Churchill in 1940, "blood and sweat and tears," he told the Council of States (Upper House).

The whole effort of India's five-year plans had been directed to strengthening the country's economic framework, providing both for the people's prosperity and for defence.

Mr. Nehru also reaffirmed his belief in India's policy of non-alignment with military blocs, and said: "Our stress is on peace and will continue to be on peace. But we cannot forget the basic requirements of defence."

Speaking on the eve of President Eisenhower's visit to New Delhi, Mr. Nehru said India welcomed him as a "Messenger of peace in the world today."

The Premier added: "Broadly speaking, the world is moving towards an attempt to put an end to the cold war and possibly even to military blocs ultimately.

## Ceylon P.M. Expelled From His Party

COLOMBO (Reuter). — A working committee of the ruling Sri Lanka (Freedom) party of Ceylon yesterday expelled Mr. Wijayananda Dahanayake, the Prime Minister, from its ranks after refusing to accept his resignation as a member of the party.

## 100 Chinese Jailed In West Java

JAKARTA (Reuter). — Indonesian courts have jailed at least 100 Chinese Communist citizens in West Java for disobeying a ban on foreign shopkeepers in villages, according to the latest figures published yesterday.

Seventy more are said to be awaiting trial. Most of the sentences were from one to two months.

The Chinese were charged with violating a regulation of the West Java War Administrator banning aliens from living outside towns and ordering them to move from their villages within a certain period.

Army officials said yesterday the mass eviction of Chinese and other foreign shopkeepers from West Java villages was going ahead.

Armed troops were out in Tjiamis, where many arrests of Chinese have been made in the past week.

In Jakarta, the Army closed down the Indonesian Communist Party daily "Harian Rakjat" for an indefinite period.

An Army announcement said the daily's publication, circulation and sale was banned because of a story published on November 24, and "some other reports lately."

The story in question was a report of a speech by Mr. Njoto, one of Indonesia's leading Communists, who recounted details of a visit to Communist China.

## Mass Protest Rally As Macleod Visits Malta

VALLETTA, Malta (Reuter). — A mass Labour party rally and a huge procession of demonstrators protested in Malta's fortress capital in advance of yesterday's visit by the British Colonial Secretary, Mr. Iain Macleod. Riot squads and mounted police stood by.

The crowd, which the Labour party executive said was 100,000 strong, was one of the biggest ever seen here, according to eye-witnesses.

They heard Mr. Dom Mintoff, party leader and former Prime Minister, declare: "Unless Mr. Macleod recognises our right to self-determination we will not have any talks with him." He added: "I shall seek help from any nation that supports our cause."

The Colonial Secretary is on a fact-finding tour of Malta and African territories.

## *IKE MAY PROPOSE U.S. 'PREMIER'*

NEW YORK (Reuter). — "Newsweek" magazine yesterday reported that President Eisenhower would propose the creation of a U.S. "Prime Minister," senior to the Vice-President, during the next session of Congress.

"Newsweek" added: "Mr. Eisenhower will make his dramatic, unprecedented proposal for a change in the executive branch of the Federal Government because he believes it is imperative that he do his best to free his successor from some of the ever-increasing details of office."

In Washington, Mrs. Anne Wheaton, Assistant White House Press Secretary, said the idea of creating a "Prime Minister" or similar office had been discussed informally over two years, but she was not aware of any plan for the President to propose it to Congress.

## Hungary Debate Opens in Assembly

UNITED NATIONS (Reuter). — The General Assembly yesterday opened a full-scale debate on a 24-power resolution deploring "the continued disregard" by Russia and the "present Hungarian regime" of General Assembly resolutions on Hungary.

Sir Leslie Munro, of New Zealand, and the U.N. representative on Hungary, in a memorandum before the debate said that the "framework of repression" in Hungary remained unchanged.

Sir Leslie, who opened the debate, refuted the "fanciful version" of the 1956 uprising which the Hungarian authorities said was incited and organized from outside. He added:

"Mr. Khrushchev, with the blunt honesty to which we have become accustomed, has spoken very differently in his speech to the seventh congress of the Hungarian Socialist Workers Party which has just taken place."

### Customary Bluntness

It was a pleasure, he said, to record the Soviet Prime Minister's agreement with the 1957 report of the U.N. fact-finding committee on Hungary "In paying full attention to the misdeeds of the Communist regime under Matyas Rakosi."

Mr. Khrushchev said that the regime's leaders had taken it into their heads that they could do no wrong and that they could disregard the objective conditions and opinions of the working people.

Mr. Henry Cabot Lodge of the U.S. said that the world was asked to believe that the "evil Rakosi days were over," but the Hungarian elections, in which there was no opposition, were meaningless, and it was perfectly clear that the present regime was as hated by, and estranged from, the masses as was that of Rakosi, and as dependent on Soviet troops for its support.

### For Own Benefit

The U.S. hoped that as a result of encouraging developments in international relations, the Soviet Union would eventually realize that it was to its benefit to comply with U.N. resolutions.

Mr. Lodge added there was evidence that reprisals were continuing against those who had taken part in the 1956 revolt.

Dr. Janos Peter, Hungarian Deputy Foreign Minister, said Hungary had "legal and moral grounds" not to take part in the debate, but decided to do so "to show that we would comply with General Assembly resolutions with the reservation that these did not interfere in our internal affairs."

Dr. Peter said Hungary had been on the verge of an all-embracing civil war, and of becoming the powder keg for a new European, or even world, war.

The Assembly then adjourned until the evening.

## Greece Issues Nagy 'Reprisal' Stamp

ATHENS (Reuter). — The Greek Post Office yesterday circulated a new postage stamp carrying the portrait of Imre Nagy, Hungarian Prime Minister executed after the 1956 uprising.

The stamp is a "reprisal" for the circulation by the Soviet Union of a postage stamp honouring Manoli Glezos, a Greek Communist journalist jailed for five years on a charge of assisting Communist spies.

The new Greek stamp bears the inscription "1956-1959 Imre Nagy" and "Freedom for the Peoples."

# U.N. Votes to Prolong UNRWA for 3 Years

## Paris Sees Algeria Vote Moral Victory

PARIS. — French officials yesterday expressed satisfaction that the Afro-Asian resolution in the U.N. political committee late Monday night was passed by less than a two-thirds majority.

The voting in the 82-nation Committee was 30-28. The resolution called for talks between the Algerian insurgents and France on conditions for a cease-fire and self-determination.

The French press regarded the vote as a moral victory for France — which is boycotting the Algerian discussions in the U.N. None of France's Nato allies voted against her this time.

But there is a clear feeling in diplomatic and political circles here that the real show-down is yet to come; it is believed possible that the Afro-Asian states may amend their resolution to give it a better chance of obtaining the necessary two-thirds majority in the plenary of the General Assembly.

## Murville Says Nato Should Guard Mid-East

THE HAGUE (INA). — Foreign Minister Couve de Murville of France suggested yesterday that Nato had responsibility for maintaining the security of the Middle East.

In a statement after meeting with Mr. Eduard de Quay, the Dutch Premier and Acting Foreign Minister, the French diplomat asserted that "Nato's task is not only the defence of the European continent. Its task now embraces a much wider area."

He also said that the European Common Market would maintain its "liberal character" and would cooperate to the utmost with exporting countries which are not members.

This was viewed as of great importance to Israel, whose citrus exports to Common Market member nations appeared gravely threatened by new customs tariffs which grant French North African and Italian citrus products favoured-nation treatment.

## *Israel Opposes PCC Article*

**UNITED NATIONS (INA). — The General Assembly's Special Political Committee on Tuesday adopted a resolution prolonging the life of UNRWA for a further three years—with a review of its relief operations in two years — and reactivating the dormant Palestine Conciliation Commission. Seventy-one delegations voted in favour of the entire resolution; none opposed, and only Israel abstained.**

This is the first time that the Soviet Delegation has voted in favour of the P.C.C., on which it is not represented.

In a separate vote on the fourth paragraph of the resolution, which called for the reactivation of the P.C.C., Israel cast the single vote in opposition and 17 delegations abstained.

The countries which abstained on this paragraph were: Burma, Canada, Chile, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Finland, Guatemala, Iceland, Netherlands, Peru, Philippines, Portugal, Sweden, Thailand, South Africa and Uruguay.

Absent were: Bolivia, Bulgaria, Costa Rica, El Salvador, Ethiopia, Honduras, Laos, Luxembourg, Nicaragua and Paraguay.

Ethiopia and Costa Rica later announced they would abstain when the resolution comes before the full Assembly.

### Israel's Position

Acceptance of the resolution by the General Assembly in plenary session is now considered a matter of course.

Israel announced its position on the resolution prior to the balloting, but withheld its statement justifying its stand until the voting was completed.

The head of the Israel delegation, Mr. Michael Comay, then told the Committee that his delegation regarded it as "significant" that a large number of other delegations "have expressed their misgivings on paragraph four and have abstained on the separate vote."

While the Israel statement was a general review of Israel's position on the refugee question and the broader issue of Arab-Israel relations, Mr. Comay reserved his criticism for the paragraph of the resolution reactivating the Conciliation Commission.

"A renewed reference to the Conciliation Commission in the year 1959," he declared, "must take account of the evolution of U.N. policy since 1948, when the Commission was established — of current international thinking on the problem — of the contemporary realities in the area — and of Israel's own record and undertakings.

"By any of these tests, paragraph four is devoid of realism. It looks backward instead of forward and is more likely to impede a constructive solution than to promote one. We cannot accept the view that such a paragraph is justified, because it has been lumped together with provisions about UNRWA in an understanding reached reached with the host governments. It must be repeated that Israel is not a party to such an understanding."

### No Reservation

Mr. Comay stressed that the Israel vote did not "imply any reservation" regarding the mandate and operations of the UNRWA, and explained that Israel had restrained from supporting the resolution for other reasons.

He pointed out that "while no substantial progress has been made in solving the refugee problem, at least the only possible direction in which to solve it has become clarified over many years of international experience with it."

The main solution, he declared, "lies in the integration of the refugees into the economic life of the Arab world, and their final absorption amongst their Arab brethren." Insofar as the problem was affected by Arab-Israel differences, he noted that "these differences can be resolved only by negotiation between the governments directly concerned."

He added that "it was encouraging that these basic tenets have been further reinforced by the Secretary-General's report and by the statements made in this Committee by a number of delegations."

The Netherlands delegation announced that it had "seri-

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## Israel Beats India, 3-1 As Rafi Levy Scores Hat-Trick

Special to The Jerusalem Post

ERNAKULAM. — Israel yesterday beat the strong Indian eleven, 3-1 after leading 1-0 at half-time, in the Asian cup (West zone) soccer tournament here yesterday.

Centre-forward Rafi Levy scored the "hat trick" for Israel, and inside-left Devadas netted for India.

Levy netted the first goal in a solo attack from right flank in the 40th minute, and the two others from uncannily precise passes from Stelmach, who was the outstanding player on the field, in the 3rd and 15th minutes after the interval.

India retaliated in the 60th minute after prolonged pressure.

Israel's forwards created many scoring opportunities. Stelmach and Levy missed five or six such openings, while a number of dangerous situations were saved by the Indian goalkeeper.

Israel made two changes from the side beaten 3-0 by Persia, Levkovich replacing Ben-David in the defence and Razabi being brought into the attack in place of Rosenbaum.

In the 30th minute of yesterday's game, Nahari replaced Mosche on the right wing.

The Israel Selected played a fast, aggressive game, and thoroughly deserved to win the match, their toughest of the series. India on Monday scored a 1-0 victory over Pakistan, whom Israel meets tomorrow.

Levy and Stelmach spearheaded the forward line, and it was also a great day for centre-half Levkovitz and right-back Matanya, who bore the brunt of the Indian counter-offensive.

The visiting team was generously applauded by the crowd, and Jews among the spectators encouraged the players with hurrahs and shouts of "hazak ve'ematz."

The Indian team lacked lustre, especially in the forward line, which was weakened by the absence of Goami and Souza, who are not fit.

Teams were:

Israel—Fortal; Matasya, Mordecovitch; Goldstein, Leflsovitch, Tisch; Mosche (Nahari), Stelmach, Levy, Razabi, Glaser.

India — Tsangaraj; Rehman; Jarnail Singh; Latif, Kempaih, Bambahadur; Narajan, Lahiri, Damodaran, Khin, Devadoss.

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Principal of the Professional High School for Agriculture in Acre

and former principal of the Kadoori Agricultural School

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## Social & Personal

The President of the Supreme Court, Justice Olshan, on Tuesday visited the Ahva and Atidot remand homes in Acre. He was accompanied by the Director of Courts, Judge Y. Eisenberg, and Judge D. Reifen, Magistrate of the Tel Aviv Juvenile Court.

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Acting Mayor M. Ish-Shalom yesterday visited the Chairman of the Jewish Agency, Mr. Zalman Shazar, and brought him the city's greetings on the occasion of his 70th birthday.

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A farewell luncheon in honour of Mr. Walter Eytan, outgoing Director-General of the Ministry for Foreign Affairs, was given at the Hebrew University yesterday by the President, Prof. B. Mazar, Dr. Otto Hahn and Dr. Hanno Hahn; Dr. Wolfgang Gentner accompanied by Mrs. Gentner; and Prof. Feodor Lynen were luncheon guests yesterday of the Dean of the Faculty of Science, Prof. E. Alexander, at the Hebrew University.

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The Skal Club of Israel gave a festive dinner in Haifa last night for Mr. F. Volchaert, founder and president of Skal International. The Mayor and Mrs. Khoushy and members of the Consular Corps were among the guests.

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The Jacob Ziskind Trust of Boston, U.S., has donated $200,000 to the Hebrew University, of which $150,000 will be devoted to the establishment of the Jacob Ziskind Chair in Biochemistry and $50,000 to a Jacob Ziskind Visiting Scholarship, both in the Hebrew University-Hadassah Medical School.

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Mr. H. van Tobel, Elizabeth Arden export manager, has arrived from Zurich, by El Al.

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The structure of viruses and genetic coding problems were the themes of two lectures delivered by Dr. Sidney Brenner, of the Cavendish Laboratories at Cambridge University, to members of the Weizmann Institute of Science and other scientists on Monday and Tuesday. Dr. Brenner is paying a ten-day visit to Israel as a guest of the Weizmann Institute.

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The "Small World" television film on the trans-ocean discussion between Prime Minister Ben-Gurion and U Nu, of Burma, will be shown at the Jerusalem Rotary Club luncheon at 1.15 p.m. today at the Y.M.C.A.

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Mr. Yehuda Gotheld of "Davar" will lecture on "Pessimism and Optimism in 20th Century Political Philosophy" at Beit Lessin in Tel Aviv at 8.30 tonight.

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Mr. A. Gradenwitz, of the Ministry of Social Welfare, will speak at the Haifa Rotary Club, at the Appinger Hotel at 1 p.m. today.

**TOURISTS.** — Foreign tourists visiting Russia next year will be offered a choice of 50 different routes by air, train, ship or car, Vladimir Ankudinov, chairman of Intourist, said in an interview published in Moscow yesterday by Tass.

## LYDDA FLIGHTS

**WEDNESDAY**

**ARRIVALS:** K.L.M. 526, from Amsterdam and Rome — 2105. B.E.A. 126, from London, Rome and Athens — 2240. Cyprus Airways 32, from London, Rome, Istanbul, Ankara and Nicosia — 2350. Air France 138, from Teheran — 0020. Swissair 256, from Zurich and Athens — 2310. El Al 416, from London, Paris and Rome — 0130.

**DEPARTURES:** El Al 415, to Rome and London — 0700. Olympic 615, to Nicosia and Athens — 0810. Air France 138, to Teheran — 0120.

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## New Agora Coins To Be Delayed

POST Economic Reporter

The long awaited elimination of the five and 25 pruta pieces has fallen victim to the all-powerful cost-of-living index. Their withdrawal had been planned in conjunction with the legal division of the Israel Pound into a 100 instead of into a 1000 units.

The introduction of the new agora coin will not take place at the beginning of the year but will be postponed to some later date in 1960.

The only currency change to be effected on January 1 will be the giving of a Hebrew name to the 10 pruta piece which has been known since the beginning of Zionist settlement as "grush," derived from an Arab form of the German "groschen," and "piastre," the Turkish word for the same coin.

The Ministry of Commerce and Industry spokesman has announced that his Ministry would not countenance any upward "rounding off" of commodity prices which involved the abolished half-piastre.

### Round Off Accounts

The only thing that now remains of these earlier plans is the recommendation to banks to round off the figures in their customers' accounts to units of 10.

In its announcement, the Ministry of Commerce and Industry warned against the upward rounding off of prices, but added that it "had absolutely no objection to a downward rounding off of such prices."

Although at first glance it might seem that a five pruta increase in some prices would not have too great an effect on the cost-of-living index, the fact is that such increases when applied to urban bus fares and a variety of grocery items would have a substantial cumulative effect on the index as they would constitute relatively large percentage increases.

## Refugees

(Continued from Page One)

ous misgivings" about the reactivation of the Conciliation Commission, particularly since one party did not agree to its terms of reference, and it therefore had abstained from voting on that paragraph of the resolution.

The U.K. representative, Mr. Harold Beeley, said the concern of his delegation in the debate had been concentrated on UNRWA. The agreement represented by the present revised text was "a major factor" in this consideration.

The resolution adopted also asked the Assembly to note with "deep regret" that no substantial progress has been made towards the repatriation of the refugees the payment to them of compensation, or their resettlement outside Israel.

It also would have the Assembly note with "concern" that contributions to UNRWA have been insufficient for the Agency to carry out its programmes fully. It asked that UNRWA should continue its relief work and extend as far as financially possible its self-support and vocational training programmes for the refugees.

Finally, it requested the governments directly concerned with the refugees to cooperate with UNRWA.

*Uruguayan M.P.'s watch swearing-in of Finance Minister Bakkol as M.K. by Knesset Speaker Kadish Luz. From right to left are Mr. Rodrigues; Uruguay's Minister, Dr. di Lorenzo; Dr. Gianola; Mr. Michelini, and Dr. Martinez.*
Photo by Braun

## Asian Nations To Swap Youth Groups

Jerusalem Post Reporter

A proposal for exchanging youth groups—the host country bearing the expenses of the local tour — has been enthusiastically received at the Regional Conference of the International Youth Hostel Federation in India.

This is reported in Jerusalem by Mr. Haim Krongold, Chairman of the Israel Youth Hostel Association, who with Dr. Walter Katz, Honorary Secretary, recently returned from the conference which was held in New Delhi at the end of November.

Under the plan, the groups would embark and disembark at Eilat. Since both Israel and the countries under consideration — India, Ceylon and Malaya — have foreign currency restrictions, the host country would pay for the expenses of the visiting group.

### Conference Here

The next Regional Conference is to be in Malaya in 1961 and the following one in Israel in 1963. Although Malaya was willing at the New Delhi conference to relinquish the 1961 date in favour of Israel, opposition by the Indian delegates caused Malaya to reconsider its stand.

In regard to youth hostels, Israel with 14, and "100,000 bed-nights in 1958," is very well developed in this field. It is hoped hostels will soon be opened in Tel Aviv and Haifa. The Tel Aviv Municipality has already promised its assistance.

At the conference, Mr. Krongold was one of the three rotating chairmen.

Dr. Katz read a paper on "practical steps in organizing youth hostels in countries where they have not taken root" which was well received.

## 3 Ships at Eilat

EILAT. — The "Emma Polder" arrived here on Monday afternoon with general cargo from South and East African ports. She is the third ship now anchored at the harbour here. The other two are the Kesariya and the Danish ship Olaf Klaus. The latter arrived here on Sunday evening with 3,200 tons of rice from Burma.

VISITORS' GALLERY: Four M.P.'s from Uruguay

## YOUNG MEN IN OFFICE

Uruguay, South America's outstanding example of political maturity, is run by young politicians.

The minimum age limit for entering the House of Representatives is 25. Actually, the average age is 44, although ages in the present House range from 27 to 70.

Uruguayans take their politics seriously and enter political life at an early age. But all parties, in power or in the opposition, although disagreeing on the means of achieving a common end, are agreed on the aim: a more prosperous country.

The four-man parliamentary delegation now visiting Israel as guests of the Knesset is typical of Uruguay's political life. The members of the delegation — which represent two different parties are young:

● Mr. Francisco Rodriguez Camuso, Speaker of the House, is only 36, and belongs to the Union Blanca Democratica Party which has 51 seats in the House. "I entered political life — in student and youth affairs — at the age of 14," he says. "In 1950, I was elected to the House, and I have been twice re-elected." He has been specially active in labour and social welfare legislation, and has concentrated on international problems intensively. He studied both medicine and law, but quit both when politics took up all his time. "I hope to get my doctorate in politics," he laughs.

● Dr. Angel Maria Gianola Lopez, a lawyer, is 32, and he also entered political life "at an early age." He, too, is a member of the Blanca Party and is Chairman of the House Labour Committee.

● Dr. Enrique Martinez Moreno, the "old man" of the delegation, is a hale and hearty 40. He was "always active in political affairs," and belongs to the Colorado party which has 35 seats. He was active in aiding the Republicans during the Spanish civil war, and later helped the Allies.

● Mr. Zelmar Michelini, 35, began his political life at 17 in trade union activities and belongs to the Colorado Party. Like many an Israeli, one of his first tasks was to put up party posters. One fact distinguishes him from his fellow delegates: he is the father of seven sons.

### All Are Writers

All four visitors are, or were, professional journalists, both writers and editors, using both the press and the radio as media to put their viewpoints across to the electorate. They are probably the youngest parliamentary deputies ever to visit Israel.

They came here after visiting China, Russia, Czechoslovakia, France and Italy, and arrived not travel-weary, but with detailed background information on Israel and its problems.

In their meetings with the President, the Knesset Speaker and Foreign Minister, they asked a series of penetrating questions on all phases of Israel's life. Hearing that the Knesset Speaker, Mr. Kadish Luz, was the former Minister of Agriculture, they asked that Israel's soil conservation projects be included in their itinerary. This has been done. Uruguay, whose economy is based mainly on cattle and sheep-raising, faces a soil conservation problem, and Israel's experiences may prove of value.

Mr. Rodriquez' party, the Union Blanca Democratica, was in opposition for 98 continuous years until it was elected this year. (The Blanca and Colorado parties received 90 per cent of the votes in the last election. This division had formed a one-sided opinion of Israel — a pro-Israel one — before they came. "And not only have we maintained of the vote, with the two large parties getting the lion's share, is a traditional part of Uruguay's political life.)

The visitors admit that they this opinion, but it has been strengthened."

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The Foreign Minister, Mrs. Golda Meir, yesterday gave a luncheon for the four visitors. Among those attending were the Knesset Speaker and Mrs. Luz, the Uruguayan Minister, Dr. Pedro Maria di Lorenzo, the Acting Director-General of the Foreign Ministry and Mrs. Tsur, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Fischer, and Aluf and Mrs. David Shaltiel.

The group, escorted by the Uruguayan envoy, also visited the Jerusalem Municipality where they were received by Acting Mayor M. Ish-Shalom. The visitors were presented with the emblem of the city.

At Mount Herzl, the members of the group laid a wreath at Herzl's Tomb. They were received there by Mr. Luz and Mr. Leon Dultzin, of the Jewish Agency Executive. A police guard-of-honour presented arms. They also visited the Hebrew University.

## Rotarians Talk Shop With Portugese Guest

HAIFA. — Some 120 Rotarians turned into students of Rotary know-how at a one-day seminar held by Israel's 27 clubs at Technion City Monday. The discussion was directed by a special envoy of Rotary International, Count Bernardo de Almeida, of Lisbon.

Israel has been on the Rotary Map since 1928, when the Jerusalem Club was founded. Today's 27 clubs are strung from Kiryat Shmona to Beersheba, and have about 1,000 members.

Count de Almeida, a past President of the Lisbon Club and a past Governor of an entire district comprising many clubs, is a Special Counsellor of the Movement, and as such has been conducting seminars in Greece, Turkey and Israel. "This has been the biggest and best institute I've conducted so far," he said.

In answer to a question, Dr. de Almeida said that he was strongly in favour of establishing diplomatic relations between Israel and Portugal.

## ON THE AIR

**FIRST PROGRAMME**
522, 256.4 & 249 M.

**News: Hebrew:** 6.30, 7.00 and 7.58 a.m., 1.30, 5.00, 7.00, 9.00 and 11.00 p.m.
**English:** 2.00 p.m. **French:** 2.15 p.m.

6.30 a.m. Religious Service (R). 6.37 Exercises. 6.45 Musical Clock (R). 7.17 Morning Melodies. 8.00 Close Down.

11.00 a.m. Popular Concert: Verdi: Overture "Alzira"; Benjamin: Concerto for Harmonica and Orchestra (Soloist: Larry Adler); E. W. Sternberg: "Amcha"; Suite: Fibich: "Printemps," Symphonic Poem. 12.00 Women's Programme. 12.30 Lunchtime Music. 1.00 Classical Music: Strauss: Persian March; Sarasate: "Zapateado"; Gluck: Siciliano from "Armide"; Cimarosa: Aria from "Secret Marriage"; McBride: Mexican Rhapsody. 1.45 Where to Go? 2.30 Close Down.

4.30 Special Foreign Language Programme. 5.05 Songs & Dances at Your Request. 5.35 Language Corner. 5.50 Intermezzo. 5.55 "Fruit & Flower." 6.00 Youth Corner. 6.30 Works by Dimitri Tiomkin. 7.20 Hebrew Songs. 7.40 "Regavim" — Agricultural Bag. 7.59 Announcements on Kol Yisrael Programmes. 8.00 A Musical Tale of Two Clarinets by Melvin Keller, Yitzhak Shimoni and Yehuda Ha'Ezrahi performed by the Kol Yisrael Orchestra, conducted by Meir Harnik. Soloists: Melvin Keller and Allan Tchaikov (Clarinets); Narrator: Yitzhak Shimoni. 8.25 From Oriental Experience. 8.50 Bible Reading: Shmuel II chaps. 17 & 18. 9.10 Political Commentary. 9.15 Newsreel. 9.30 "New Worlds." 10.05 Vocal Recital by Ethel Sussman (Soprano). 10.30. A Glimpse at Israel. 10.35 Light Music. 11.10 Close Down.

**SECOND PROGRAMME**
468, 292, 422.5 & 33.3 M.

**IMMIGRANTS' HOUR:** 6.15 Mograbit. 6.30 News in Easy Hebrew. 6.45 Polish. 7.00 French 7.30 Yiddish. 8.00 Studying the Book of Tanya, by Rabbi N. Goldsmith. 8.15 "Israel Composers": a) Songs by Ben-Zion Orgad and Yehoshua Lakner performed by Bracha Zefira (Vocalist); Uri Shoham (Flute), Peter Siman'or (Clarinet), Ben-Zvi Zilber (Violin), Refael Markus (Violin), Hanoch Jacobi (Viola), Ya'acov Menze (Cello), Conductor: Eitan Lustig. b) Works by Josef Tal: 1) "Reflections" for Strings (Conductor: Heinz Freudenthal). 2) Three Songs on lyrics by Rachel. 3) String Quartet (performed by the New Israel Quartet). 9.00 Ladino. 9.30 Rumanian. 9.45 Hungarian. 10.00 News in English.

**ARABIC PROGRAMME**
407 & 41.7 M.

**Arabic Programme** (including News): 6.30-7.15 a.m. 1.15-2.15, 5.30-11.15 p.m.

**KOL YISRAEL LAGOLA** (33.3 M.): **Programme to the U.K.:** 10.30 News. 10.40 Tune of the Week. 10.45 Talking Things Over.

**Programme to South Africa:** 6.15 News. 6.35 From the Federation. 6.30 Talking Things Over.

**ARMY PROGRAMME** (216, 252 and 235 M.): 6.00 Opening. 6.03 Songs. 6.40 From the Arab World. 6.58 Announcements. 7.00 News. 7.10 Pleasant Tunes. 7.40 Songs. 8.00 "Bamahane." 8.15 Military Music. 8.30 New records. 9.00 News. 9.15 Weekly Symphony Concert: Works by Boccherini, Shostakovitch and Tchaikowsky. 10.30 Close Down.

**B.B.C. HEBREW BROADCASTS** (30.26, 25.12, 19.76, 19.46 & 16.86 M.): 7.15-7.45 p.m. News. News Comment. In the Jewish World.

**MUSIC U.S.A.** (19 & 25 M.): Voice of America. 9.00-11.00 p.m. Light Music & Jazz.

**CYPRUS BROADCASTING SERVICE — English Programme** (434 & 496 M.): News: 7.30 a.m. 2.00, 7.00, 11.00 p.m.

7.45 a.m. The Coca Cola Programme. 8.00 Melodies & Memories. 8.30 Housewives' Choice. 9.00 Miniature Concert. 9.30 Strange Last Words. 9.45 Piano Playtime. 10.00 The Melody Dance Band 10.30 Edmundo Ross. 11.00 The Final Year. 11.15 Light Music. 11.30 Women's Magazine. 12.00 Midday Melodies. 2.15 p.m. "The Name is Shane." 2.30 Wednesday Matinee. 6.45 The Lanitis Programme. 7.15 I Give and Bequeath. 10.00 Emergency. 10.15 Stars of Song. 10.30 Teller of Tales.

## 20 Medium Industries Being Developed by Te'us Company

By MARK SEGAL
Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — Over IL11m. will have been invested in 20 medium-sized industrial projects in the development areas by the end of 1960 by Te'us Development Areas Industries, Ltd., the chairman of the Te'us Board of Directors, Mr. Shragai Goren, told *The Jerusalem Post*.

A further IL12m. would probably be spent on developing another seven projects after the first schedule had been completed, he said. The latter sum included funds for doubling the present 10,000 spindles in the Kiryat Shmona Spinning Mill.

At present the 20 plants provided employment for 1,800 workers and another 900 employees would find work in the seven additional projects, Mr. Goren reported.

Te'us was founded in April 1958 as a joint enterprise of the Government and Hevrat Ovdim, the Histadrut holding company. The money was derived mainly from the Development Budget and partly from investment capital mobilized by the company itself.

### Viable Basis

The main idea behind the scheme was to provide a viable economic basis for all the development towns and employment for their residents, Mr. Goren explained. The company is not and does not intend being proprietor of these factories but wishes to establish the firms until either the employees can take them over, as cooperatives, or private industrialists buy them out, Mr. Goren stressed.

The main problem was training skilled manpower to which end the company either resorted to graduates of Labour Ministry courses or brought in specialists. As an example, Mr. Goren cited how an English non-Jew and his family had settled in Sderot to train manpower for the factory producing thermometers there.

Seven of the 20 initial plants were now in the first stages of production, others in the running-in stage and the rest are beginning to stand on their feet. Mr. Goren added that the main drawback was a shortage of skilled labour, and even in such places as Beit Shemesh the company could not find suitable candidates for such essential jobs as book-keepers or storekeepers.

The seven plants already in full working order are: the plastics works in Afula and the knitting plant in Beit Shemesh (these two had already made tentative attempts at export); the sewing machine factory in Safad which already produced 20 machines a day; the large carpentry in Beersheba and the Sderot thermometer works. The company set up an electrical products plant and most important — Fibreglass, Ltd. in Ness Ziona. The latter came into existence by virtue of a know-how contract with a leading California engineering corporation.

Future projects would include a large IL4m. finishing and dyeing works; a firm for producing new style radiators in cooperation with an American company; an electronics plant in Ashkelon; an electrodes factory in Kiryat Malachi; and a polishing plant for semi-precious stones.

## Neutral German Flag For Olympic Games

BONN (UPI). — The West German Government yesterday agreed that a neutral rather than the national flag be flown by next year's Olympic team.

The neutral flag will be the black-red-gold horizontal stripes of the national flag with an overlay of five white Olympic rings in the centre stripe.

Federal Press Chief Felix von Eckardt said the Government could not welcome the decision by the National Olympic Committee to accept the neutral flag, but would take no action to prevent its use.

The West German Olympic Committee had refused to appear under the flag of Communist East Germany, and the latter had refused to appear under the West German banner.

## Cinemas

**JERUSALEM**
3.30, 6.45, 8.45.

**ARNON:** Quartier interdit.
**EDEN:** The Decks Ran Red.
**ORION:** Khad el Gamil.
**OR-GIL:** La femme et le pantin.
**ORNA:** It Happened to Jane.
**RON:** The Brothers Rico.
**SEMADAR:** A Certain Smile.
**ZION:** Tempest.
**TEL OR:** Retour de Manivelle.
**EDISON:** Wenn du noch eine Mutter hast.
**STUDIO:** April in Paris.

**TEL AVIV**
3.30, 7.15, 9.15.

**ALLENBY:** Le long des trottoirs.
**ARMON DAVID:** The Nun's Story.
**CHEN:** Room at the Top.
**EDEN:** Sharada.
**ESTHER:** For the First Time.
**GAT:** Montmartre Nights.
**HOD:** Homeland Above All.
**MAXIM:** Navy Wife.
**MIGDALOR:** Across the Bridge.
**MOGRABI:** En cas de malheur (Love is My Profession).
**OPHIR:** Les dragueurs.
**ORION:** Femmes faibles.
**PEER:** Night of a Quarter Moon.
**SHDEROTH:** A Streetcar Named Desire.
**TAMAR:** Little Red Monkey.
**TCHELET:** Ivan the Terrible.
**YARON:** Imitation of Life.
**ZAFON:** The Riksha-Man.
**ZAMIR:** The Vikings.

**HAIFA**
4, 6.45, 9.

**ORION:** Deserter.
**ATZMON:** Cat on a Hot Tin Roof.
**MIRON:** Drei Männer im Schnee, (Three Men in the Snow).
**OBAH:** Les tricheurs (The Cheats).
**AMPHITHEATRE:** The Blue Angel.
**TAMAR:** The Story of Dr. Wassel.
**GAL OR:** Five Against the House.
**PEER:** Anatomy of a Murder.
**ARMON:** This Land is Mine.
**EN DOR:** At Gun Point.
**ORLY:** Another Time, Another Place.
**MORIAH:** Until They Sail.
**MAY:** Tempest.

**RAMAT GAN**
**RAMAT GAN:** The Captain's Table. 7.15, 9.15.

## Tel Aviv Stock Market

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| Pop. Loan 1949/50 | 98 |
| 4% Comp. Loan 58/62 | 77 |
| Pal. Bearer Bds. Ser. 2 | 995 |
| 2½% Comp. Loan | 84 |
| 3½% Travel Dollar | 90 |
| 4% Reg. Sterling "A" | 1044 |
| Dev. Loan Bonds 6½% h) | 1044 |
| 4½% Dev. Bonds f) | 108 |
| 6½% Dev. Bonds g) | 1005 |
| 6½% Loa. C. Dabs. h) | 1005 |
| 6½% Loa. C. Debs. g) | 1011 |
| Pal. Elec. pref. sh. (IL5n.) | 991 |
| 6½% Bonds 58/63 f) | 107 |
| ditto g) | 113½ |
| Keren Hayesod, U.Isr.Appeal | |
| 6½% Deb. 58/63 f) | 106 |
| 6% Deb. 59/63 f) | 104 |
| 6% Deb. 59/63 g) | 102½ |
| ditto g) | 99½ |
| Gen. Mortg. Bk. ord sh. | 150 |
| 6½% Debs. 61/63 f) | 105½ |
| Isr. Inds. Dev. Bank 60/69 a f) registered | 99½ |
| Rassco 6½% Deb. 58/63 | |
| Class "A" f) | 107 |
| Class "B" g) | 105½ |
| Rassco 6% pref. ord. sh. | 101 |
| G.U.S.—Rassco Ltd. 6½%debs.61/63(bearer) f) | 104½ |
| Bk. Leumi ord. sh. | 2525 |
| Bk. Leumi Investment Bearer Savings Cert. IL'60 | 99½ |
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| Igroth 6½% Deb. 58/63 | 105½ |
| Ata ord. "B" sh. | 1398 |
| "Kurdaneh" ord. "B" | 138 |
| 8% con. debt. 59/63 | 126 |
| Tova Ltd. ord. shares IL10 reg. | 150 |
| Pal. Cold St. (IL10-) (reg.) | 194 |
| American-Isr. Paper Mills ord "B" d) | 228 |
| Binur 4% debs. 58/63 reg. | 96 |
| Nir 6%pref. sh. | 99½ |
| I.L.D.C. ord. sh. reg. | 169 |
| Afr. Pal. Inv. ord. sh. reg. | 140 |
| Meller ord. sh. reg. | 1340 |
| Pal.Brewery6%con.debs.rel. | 78½ |
| AssisBejarano ord. 'B' sh.reg. | 92 |
| Nesher 6% debs. "A" 55/64 | 119 |
| Pal. Potash "A" ord. sh. | 100 |
| Dead Sea Works | 253 |
| Delek ord. sh "C" | 190 |
| Jordan Exploration Co. Ord. "A" sh. reg. | 70½ |
| Ellern's Investment Corp. Ltd. ord. shares (reg.) | 313½ |
| Housing Loan, "A" 60/69 4½% (bearer) f) | 105 |
| Housing Loan, "C" 60/69 6% reg. g) | 98½ |
| Citrico Ltd. 6% debs. 61/64 (bearer) e) | 101½ |

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MOZART, with lecture by N. Meshori. Rubin Music Academy, 8.30.

• **Tours:**—
Spend a morning with Hadassah on a conducted tour, starting 9 a.m. Book for this tour by phoning 4061, Hadassah Club, Straus' Health Centre.

Hebrew University: Conducted tour in English, at 12 noon, daily, New University Campus.

• **Exhibitions:** —
Safrai Art Gallery, 37 Jaffa Rd., Tel. 63737 Est. 1925. Jerusalem's oldest art gallery. Paintings by Haya Sapir, graduate Youth Aliya. Come in and browse around, 8-1, 3-7. Friday, 8-2. All purchases mailed upon request.

Department of Antiquities, 25 Rehov Shlomo Hamelech. Special exhibitions: Tel Gath excavations. Chalcolithic ossuaries from Asor. Also permanent exhibition. 9-1, 3-5.

• **Bezalel National Museum:**—
Permanent exhibition of Jewish Ceremonial Art, Archaeological objects. Primitive Art. Exhibition of "Contemporary British Printmakers" on loan from St. George's Gallery. Exhibition of water-colours, gouaches and drawings by Israel Artist Shoshana Finkelstein. Exhibitions of "Landscape Etchings of the 17th Century" and "Italian Paintings of the 20th Century." 9-1, 3.30-6.

• **Zoo:**—
Jerusalem Biblical Zoo. 9-6.

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• **Israel National Opera:**—
"La Boheme," 8.30.

• **Theatre:**—
The Jewish State Theatre in Poland, under the direction of Ida Kaminska, presents: "Professor Mamlock." Ohel Shem, 8.30.

Habimah: "Visit of the Old Lady," 8.30.

Ohel: "Another River," 8.30.

Cameri: "Look Homeward Angel," 8.30.

• **Dine and Dance:**—
Delphin Bar, 16 Sholom Aleichem. Exquisite cuisine. Lunch daily at 12 noon. Dancing nightly. Recommended to Tourists. Tel. 23973.

Cafe Noga. Concert: Mandelbaum Orchestra, Jerome Ville Vocalist 5-7, 8-12.

Adria Night Club, 101 Dizengoff — no passage. Sensational French Vocalist Daisy Doberman. Dancing. Tel. 51319.

• **Tourist Service:** —
Visit Hadassah Club, 80 Rehov Hayarkon, Tel 23239.
Wize Club, 91 Rehov Hayarkon, Tel 26825, 8 a.m.—2 p.m.

• **Zoological Gardens:** —
Open 8 a.m. — 6 p.m. daily.

• **Lecture:**—
Prof. Guiseppe Logu, Director of the Academy of Art in Venice, on "Synthesis of Venetian Art," under auspices of the Dante Alighieri Society and the Municipality's Cultural Department, Beit Sokolow, 8.30 p.m.

• **Exhibitions:** —
Hedo's watercolour drawings from Asian countries. "97" Gallery, 97 Rehov Ben Yehuda. 9-1; 4-7.

UNESCO Exhibition of Watercolours. Beit Dizengoff. 10-1, 4-7. Coptic Textiles and Portraits of Egyptian Mummies. Helena Rubinstein Pavilion. 10-1; 4-7.

Ancient Glass Exhibition, Museum Ha'aretz, near Ramat Aviv. 10-5.

Paintings by Barezinska-Neumann. Artists Pavilion, 9 Alharizi. 10-1, 4-7.

• **ZOA House:** —
Opening of the Z.O.A. House Film Club: "Rashomon," 7, 9.15. Tourist Service. 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

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**Exhibitions:**—
Drawings and paintings made in Ghettos and Camps. Artists' House, 24 UNO Avenue. 10-1; 4-7.

Furniture and Rugs Exhibition. Exhibition Centre, Beit Hakranot. 10-1, 4-9.

Paintings by Yochanan Ben-Ya'acov (Hasorea), and Ya'acov Motola (Haifa). Union of Israel Painters and Sculptors, 24 U.N.O. Ave., 10-1, 4-7.

• **Tourist Centre:**—
Hadassah Club, Youth Aliya Offices, 22 Hehaluts, Tel. 67955.

**BAT YAM**

• **Yiddish Theatre:** —
Duigan & Schumacher.


ISRAEL WIZO FEDERATION
Members and friends are cordially invited to a TEA-PARTY which will take place on Wednesday, December 9, 1959, at 4 p.m., at the WIZO Club, Tel Aviv. Guest of Honour and Speaker: Mrs. Inez Gordon, Vice-President of the Women's Zionist Council of South Africa, on:
"WIZO AND SOUTHERN AFRICA"
HOSTESSES: Dr. Regina Zimmermann, Chairman, Organization and Culture Department, and Mrs. Shifra Lifsen, Chairman, Fund-raising Department, Israel WIZO Federation.

Professor Naftali Levy
Fulbright Lecturer
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### The Weather

**Forecast:** partly cloudy.
**Weather Synopsis:** Rises of pressure in our region are causing improvement and end of rain.

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### ARRIVALS

Mr. A.G. Heitberg, with his family, to take up the post of head of the Consular Section in the U.S. Embassy (by T.W.A.).

Mr. Robert Kerr, President of Fairbanks Morse, and Mr. Gordon Anderson, Vice-President of the firm, for negotiations on the establishment of a joint company with the Ministry of Development for the commercial exploitation of the Zarchin water desalination process (by T.W.A.)

Mr. Yoav Harpaz, member of the Israel Atomic Energy Commission, from an international conference in Monaco on disposal of radio-active waste in sewage and refuse (by Sabena).

Mr. Cecil Allweis, of the Physiology Department of the Hebrew University Medical School, with Mrs. Allweis, on completion of a two-year fellowship at the University of California.

### DEPARTURES

Mr. Rustum Bastouny, of the Mapam Executive, to New York, for a lecture tour (by El Al).

Mr. Homer Tomlinson, self-styled "King of the World," after a 12-hour visit during which he crowned himself "king" of Jerusalem and of Tel Aviv, to Teheran, with his portable throne (by Air France).

Mr. F.A. Lewinson, Executive Director of "The Israel Export and Trade Journal," to Cyprus.

A TELEX service between West Germany and Israel is to start next Tuesday.

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## Noah Doron Returns To Haifa from Europe

Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA. — Noah Doron, whose parents attempted suicide last month after they had lost all their property in unsuccessfully trying to honour his debts, returned here last night in the s.s. Theodor Herzl. The parents were saved from death by poisoning through the strenuous efforts of doctors at Rambam Hospital.

He told newsmen he had learned about the suicide attempt five days ago in Cologne from an old copy of a Hebrew paper, and had decided to return. He refused to say what he had done in Germany or whether the newspaper accounts published here last month were correct.

**Half-way through the interview he asked whether his parents were still alive. He had not inquired by telegram, he said, adding he did not know why they had tried to commit suicide.**

Asked what he would do here, he said he was not sure. He stated it was incorrect that he had not written home, but that he had given no return address. Mrs. Doron had denied that she had heard from him after he had left.

Police said they had no grounds for arresting Doron.

## Guri Finance Unit's Temporary Chairman

The Finance Committee of the Fourth Knesset held its first meeting yesterday and elected Mr. Israel Guri (Mapai) temporary chairman.

Mr. Shmuel Bazak, the committee's secretary, who recently returned from a UNESCO study tour, reported on methods of parliamentary control of the budget in various countries.

Dr. Gad Kitron, the committee's legal adviser, reported on the recent meeting in Madrid of the International Fiscal Union, which he attended.

The committee is to meet this morning, with the participation of the Minister of Finance.

## New Bill Sets Stiffer Penalty For Man Who Abandons Wife

Jerusalem Post Knesset Reporter

A bill which makes drastic changes in the punishment of a man who abandons his wife was presented to the Knesset yesterday for its first reading by Justice Minister Pinhas Rosen. It also provides for more serious punishment for abandoning children.

The official title of the bill is "Bill to Amend the Penal Code (Abandonment of Women and Children)."

At present, if a man abandons his wife without means of support, it is a civil wrong only, and not a criminal offence.

(Even so, if such a man fails to make payments for his wife's support after being so ordered by a competent court, the Execution Office may order his imprisonment for 21 days of each month—for the rest of his life. In this respect, the amendment is more lenient, since it limits such imprisonment to three years.)

### Criminal Offense

The amendment makes it a crime, punishable by one year's imprisonment, to fail to make payments for support ordered by the court. The maximum is increased to three years for a repeated offence, or if the wife is pregnant. An exception is made where the man is unable to find employment through no fault of his own.

Under the bill, abandonment of either wife or child may also entail labour while in prison, the aim being that the wages paid for such labour be used for support of wife or child.

With regard to children, the major change in the amendment is that the burden of proof will now be on the father to prove that he has not abandoned his children, or that he is not in a position to support them.

The concensus in the debate was that the bill was too harsh. The problem was essentially a social one, and it was this aspect which the bill ignored, most speakers felt.

### Speakers in Debate

Speakers in the debate last night were Dr. Z. Wahrhaftig (National Religious), Dr. S. Junitchman (Herut), Mr. H. Zadok (Mapai), Mr. T. Toubi (Communists), Mr. Mordechai Bibi (Ahdut Ha'avoda), and Dr. Shimon Kanowitz (Progressives).

Mr. Zadok thought that under the bill it would be difficult even for an innocent man to prove that he was indeed innocent. He also objected to the forced labour clause.

The debate continues.

## 1st Reading of Identity Booklet Amendment

Jerusalem Post Knesset Reporter

The requirement that male inhabitants of Israel must carry an identity booklet will be extended for another year, under the Bill to Extend the Validity of Emergency Regulations, which passed its first reading in the Knesset yesterday.

Interior Minister Israel Bar-Yehuda, who presented the bill, said that in the opinion of the Ministry of Defence, the requirement was still necessary.

But four of the five speakers who participated in the debate — Messrs. Landau (Herut), Rosenberg (National Religious), Toubi (Communists), and Riftin (Mapam), expressed doubts that the regulation served any useful purpose today.

The regulations were first imposed when *fedayeen* activity was at its height, prior to the Sinai Campaign, they pointed out. Only Mr. D. Bar-Rav-Hay (Mapai) defended the extension.

But only Mr. Toubi voted to return the bill to the Government.

After a brief debate, and without opposition, the House also passed the first reading of a Bill to Extend the Validity of Emergency Regulations (Regulation of Guard Duty in Settlements). The bill authorizes settlements to impose guard duty on their members.

## Warmer and Dry Today

It will be partly cloudy and dry today, with slight rises in temperature, the weatherman states. Rain fell throughout the country yesterday, from brief showers in the north to 1.2mm. in Jerusalem and 6.0mm. in Beersheba.

## Collapsing Wall Kills Boy

TIRA VILLAGE.—A four-year-old boy was killed in this Little Triangle village on Tuesday morning when the wall of a house scheduled for demolition collapsed and fell on him.

The boy, Mohammed Iraqi, was playing with some friends in the courtyard of his grandfather's house near the mud-stone house. His playmates managed to move away in time, but the child was caught under the crumbling wall. His parents rushed him to the Magen David Adom station in Kfar Saba, but he could not be saved.

## Tel Aviv Coalition Members Fall Out

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV.— A dispute has broken out between Mapai and its five partners in the fledgling Municipal coalition less than a week before it is due to take over the city administration.

Differences arose on Tuesday over the distribution of departments among the factions. The minority parties demand a share of department control in proportion with their representation on the Town Management—Mapai six, and one for each faction. Mapai, on the other hand, wants to base the distribution on the parties' proportional representation on the Council as a whole, where Mapai has 11 of 31 seats and its coalition partners eight.

Mapai has announced that it intends retaining control of such key departments as finances, housing, Jaffa and the slums, administration and personnel, and education. Talks will continue today (Wednesday).

It is understood that the Minister of Social Welfare, Mr. P. Naphtali, who is number two on the Mapai list, will be in charge of the Municipal finance department.

## MAPAI MAYOR FOR HADERA

HADERA. — Yitzhak Widerker of Mapai was on Tuesday re-elected mayor of this town by 10 votes to two, with three abstentions. His supporters were five Mapai members, one each from Mapam, Ahdut Ha'avoda and the Yemenite list, and two General Zionists. Two Herut members voted against him, and three from the Religious parties abstained.

## Court Asked To Nullify J'lem Vote

The number one General Zionist candidate for the Jerusalem Municipal Council on Tuesday applied to the Jerusalem District Court to have the election results nullified owing to the alleged error of the Chief Election Officer.

Mr. Shlomo Mizrahi, an attorney, told the Court that his list lacked only four votes to put him in office. Fifty ballots cast at the Rehavia Gymnasium polling station were disqualified because their envelopes did not bear the stamp of the Election Officer. Among them were five votes for the General Zionists.

The Court wil set a date for the hearing on the application on Wednesday. *(Itim)*

## Stabs Ex-Wife In Fight over Son

By AHARON EVEN-HEN
Jerusalem Post Reporter

NATANYA—A blood-stained knife clutched in his hand, a dishevelled young man burst into the local police station at 6.20 on Tuesday morning, identified himself as Ya'acov Doron, and allegedly exclaimed, "I have killed my wife."

But it was shortly afterwards ascertained that he had stabbed his former wife, Sara, 26, in the neck and other parts of the body, and that when she was later taken to the Beilinson Hospital, where she was said to be out of danger although badly wounded.

Tiberias-born Doron, 29, whose former surname is Segal, is understood to have a criminal record, to have been divorced from his wife five years ago, and to have later quarreled with her over custody of their six-year-old son, Moshe.

Doron reportedly admitted to the police that he had threatened violence beforehand. "I won't give up my son," he declared, adding that he would "take vengeance."

### Off to Synagogue

Doron managed to gain entry into the house, at 470 Shikun Havatikim, after Sara's father, Mr. Y. Katz, left the door unlocked after he had risen at 4.30 a.m. to go to synagogue for morning prayers. Sara, it was learned, was sleeping with her son when Doron burst in and attacked her. The screams of the woman and the little boy, it was reported, made Doron desist from attacking his former mother-in-law, Mrs. Miriam Katz, who slept in the adjoining room, and to flee.

The first person to reach the spot, attracted by the screams, was a neighbour, Mrs. Genia Prager, who saw Sara sprawled on the bed with blood spattered over the bedclothes and the wall. The child stood beside the bed, numb with shock.

The boy later told this reporter, "My father stabbed mother with a long knife. He wanted to stab me, too, but I bit him like a dog."

Doron allegedly claimed at the police station that the Rabbinate had decided that he should keep custody of the boy when he reached the age of six, but that his former wife and her family had refused to comply with this ruling.

It is understood that Doron has repeatedly visited the house and that violent quarrels ensued over this issue. He disappeared for a time, then appeared a fortnight ago when he met his son playing in the yard and presented him with a gold wrist-watch. Since then the family have kept watch over the little boy for fear that Doron would kidnap him.

## Jordanians Give Kibbutz Boy Back

After five weeks in various Jordanian jails, Yehuda Paker, 17, of Kibbutz Yiftah in Upper Galilee, was on Tuesday returned to Israel through Mandelbaum Gate in Jerusalem.

Paker had been abducted at gunpoint on November 1 while on a hike in the vicinity of the Gilboa. He seemed tired and told of mistreatment during his imprisonment. He will be questioned by Afula police today.

Waiting for him at the Gate were members of his family and friends from the kibbutz.

Paker was to have been returned on Monday, but through an error, the Jordanians came with the wrong Israeli, Menashe Mansour, of Kibbutz Alonim. Mansour has been in Jordan since June, and it is still not known when he will be returned. *(Itim)*

A WORKING Mothers Organization club was dedicated on Sunday in the Afridar quarter of Ashkelon.

## Mordechai Berachyahu, 75, Buried in Jerusalem

Dr. Mordechai Berachyahu, 75, one of Israel's veteran physicians, was buried in Jerusalem yesterday afternoon.

He died early in the morning at his home in Beit Hakerem. The cortege left from Beit Harofe, where representatives of the Medical Association and Hadassah spoke.

He is survived by his wife, Dr. Hanna Brachyahu, and two daughters.

### An Appreciation

When young Mordechai Berachyahu made his way on horseback from Rosh Pina to Jerusalem in 1919, it was in response to Hadassah's invitation to institute medical care for the schoolchildren of the Yishuv.

Born in Russia, Dr. Berachyahu received his medical education in Switzerland, specializing in child psychiatry. In 1912, after two years of post-graduate work in Berlin, he left for Palestine, where he was soon appointed physician to the Herzliya Gymnasium.

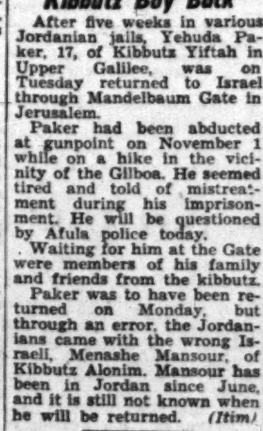
After the First World War, he became physician to the Jewish settlements in Galilee until a chance meeting with Dr. Rubinov brought him to Jerusalem to join Hadassah's growing medical team and establish a School Hygiene Service.

Dr. Berachyahu's team was as much concerned with stopping the spread of infection as with curing disease, and to this end they examined the school water supplies, the first water analysis to be undertaken in Palestine. Another field pioneered by this department was the regular medical examination of teachers, as well as pupils.

By 1933, Dr. Berachyahu, with the encouragement of Miss Szold, was able to include care for the emotional and psychological disturbances of children within the scope of the Service. In addition to many scientific papers which he published, he launched in 1943 a monthly journal on "Mental Hygiene," one of the first of its kind in the world.

When he retired in 1952 after 33 years as head of the Hadassah's School Hygiene Service, the Tel Aviv Municipality honoured him with the Szold Prize in recognition of his pioneering work in furthering the health of Israel's schoolchildren. But perhaps his greatest reward in the evening of his life was to see the classes of fine young people, whom his Department had set on the road to a happy and healthy life, accepting the responsibilities of citizenship in an independent Israel.

KALMAN J. MANN

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*The Comet* arriving at Lydda Airport yesterday.

## BEA, Olympic Consortium New Experiment in Civil Aviation

LYDDA AIRPORT. — The consortium between British European Airways and the Greek National Olympic Airways which is to operate from next April is a new experiment for commercial aviation involving the cooperation, but not fusion, of the two companies, Mr. W.I. Scott-Hill, B.E.A.'s General Manager (Traffic), said here on Tuesday.

The consortium will be launched with the start of B.E.A.'s jet service to Israel. The consortium agreement, signed last July, provides for the joint operation of route networks between the United Kingdom and Greece in the eastern Mediterranean by a combined fleet of seven B.E.A. and two Olympic Comet-4B jet liners.

From April, the consortium's Comets will touch down at Lydda five times weekly.

Tuesday morning saw B.E.A.'s first passenger-proving flight to Lydda. Fifty-six newsmen and travel agents from Cyprus spent two brief hours in Israel, including lunch at Savyon. Their trip from Nicosia took just over 35 minutes. Local ground crews had their second chance in a fortnight to become acquainted with the sleek airliner. An El Al Britannia, standing on the tarmac nearby, looked somewhat old-fashioned in contrast to the sleek design of the Comet.

The 86-seat Comet is a completely re-designed version of the ill-fated Comet-1, first flown in 1949. At the time, the British aviation industry was considered years ahead of its competitors and was able to provide BOAC with the first jet-airliners in 1952. Following a series of mid-air explosions, the Comet-1 was withdrawn from service in 1954. The first of the Comet-4 models were flown in 1958. The plane costs about £1m.

### 'Man Descended from Spacemen's Rubbish'

ITHACA, New York (Reuter).— Life on earth may have evolved from rubbish left behind by visiting space travellers 1,000 million years ago, the Director of Cornell University Radiophysics and Space Research Centre, Dr. Thomas Gold, suggested here.

In a paper presented at a private scientific meeting and issued through the University on Monday night, he added that within 50 to 100 years men from earth might be able to visit the planets of distant stars and leave "garbage" there.

This garbage could contain bacteria, viruses and other low forms of life which, if hardy enough, might evolve into intelligent life, so that in a thousand million years these planets in turn could "be in a position to spread the contamination further."

## 3 Years Jail for Aiding U.A.R. Intelligence

TEL AVIV. — A young Beduin from a tribe camping in the Lydda area was sentenced to three years' jail on Tuesday for revealing military secrets to Egyptian intelligence agents in the Gaza Strip.

Ali Abu Kishek, 21, pleaded guilty before the District Court of illegally leaving the country and of "unintentionally revealing information of potential value to the enemy." He spent last April and May in the Strip and on his return turned himself in to the Lydda police.

Abu Kishek told the Court that he had been persuaded to go to Gaza by an Arab friend from Lydda, who is still there. On arrival, however, the pair were arrested. Kishek was only released on bail some time later through the intervention of a friend of the family, a former resident of Sheikh Munis. After working as an agricultural labourer for 10 piasters a day for a few weeks, he became fed up and infiltrated back to Israel.

The prosecution insisted that Egyptian Intelligence would not have let Abu Kishek go without first getting all possible information from him. *(Itim)*

## Court Lengthens Spy's Sentence

The Supreme Court yesterday added two years to the seven-year sentence imposed by the District Court last month on Yitzhak Silberman, the 58-year-old metallurgical engineer at the Acre steel works, who pleaded guilty to having spied over a long period for a foreign country.

Silberman's appeal was rejected, but the Court upheld the appeal of the prosecution against the leniency of the sentence.

Hearings were held *in camera* before the President, Justice Olshan, and Justices Agranat and Witkon. *(Itim)*

2,000 ELEMENTARY school pupils from Nahariya will receive free dental treatment under an agreement between the Local Council and the Health Ministry.

## *Lebanese Girl Takes Over Druse Village*

TIBERIAS. — A sophisticated young woman from the Lebanon who was talked into coming to Israel to marry a Druse farmboy whom she had not seen in 12 years is upsetting the life of little Maghar Village in Upper Galilee.

The girl, Adia Ma'avadi, 22, was betrothed to Daher Nimr, 23, when they were both children. With the war, the families were separated, but two weeks ago Adia's family brought her to the border to hand her over to her fiancé.

Pretty, petite Adia, stylishly dressed and balanced on high French heels, almost backed out at the last minute when she saw the simple attire of her fiancé and his family.

In the two weeks she has spent at Maghar, she has got her father-in-law-to-be to sell an olive grove to buy her a home and mobilized practically the entire village to go to the cinema as her chaperones.

Since an unmarried girl is not allowed to appear in public, the entire Nimr clan had to hire a bus, fill it with relatives, and seat Adia in their midst in the Tiberias cinema so that she could enjoy an evening at the movies.

## 'Ghost' Freighter Told to Leave

Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA. — An order to remove the American freighter Pacific Wave from Israel territorial waters within a month has been handed to her captain here.

The order, signed by the Director of the Transport Ministry's Shipping and Ports Division, was handed to her master, Captain Patrick Keenan, as the representative of the ship's owner, the Pegor Steamship Corporation of New York.

The ship arrived at the end of September with a cargo of grain, but lacked funds to buy fuel for the outward journey. Its crew has been flown home and the ship tied up outside the breakwater. Only Captain Keenan has stayed on.

The order was issued because the ship is "likely to become an obstruction to navigation." The owners were also ordered to deposit IL10,000 with the Port Authority within a fortnight, the sum to be forfeited in case of non-compliance with the order.

## Shneerson Appointed Envoy to Mexico

Mr. Mordechai Shneerson, Israel Chargé d'Affaires in Paris, has been appointed Ambassador to Mexico, it was announced in Jerusalem yesterday.

Mr. Shneerson, 46, was born in Kiev and came to this country in 1924. He studied at the Hebrew Gymnasium in Jerusalem and at the University of Paris. From 1939 till 1942 he practised law in Jerusalem and for the next four years served with the British Air Force in Egypt. He joined the Foreign Ministry in 1949.

Mr. Shneerson was appointed Counsellor in the Paris Embassy in July 1957 and was given the rank of Minister the next year.

## Shaltiel Back After 9 Years Service

POST Political Reporter

The former Israel Ambassador to Mexico, Aluf David Shaltiel, returned to Israel this week after nine years in the foreign service, seven of them in Latin America.

Aluf Shaltiel has decided to establish his residence in Jerusalem where he was District Commander during the War of Independence. It is not yet known what his next Foreign Ministry assignment will be.

BANNED. — Dr. Billy Graham, the American evangelist, is no longer welcome in Jordan, the Jordanian Embassy stated in Washington, because he had participated in "pro-Israel activities, including fund-raising."

## X-Ray Technicians Stage Walkout

TEL AVIV. — The X-ray departments in 48 medical institutions throughout the country were shut down on Tuesday owing to a one-day strike of some 300 technicians. Only urgent cases were accepted for treatment at hospitals.

The walk-out was not authorized by the Trade Union Department of the Histadrut, which commented on Tuesday evening that the strike "had only complicated" its efforts on behalf of the technicians. Department officials complained that a meeting with the hospital authorities scheduled for Monday had to be called off because of the wild-cat strike.

## T.A.-J'lem Train Track Changed

Railway travel between Tel Aviv and Jerusalem will be faster, and heavier loads of goods will be carried when work involving an expense of IL2m. in changing the tracks will be completed within a week, the Israel Railways announced yesterday.

The change will enable four additional passenger trains to be placed on the schedule in addition to allowing a faster and heavier flow of goods to the Capital. Work on this operation has been going on intermittently since 1936, it was disclosed.

Difficult engineering problems were overcome, according to Mr. Kalman Slutzker, Deputy Manager of the Israel Railway's Southern District. The new rails weigh 49 kgs. a metre compared to 37½ kgs. previously. The additional weight will enable the tracks to bear heavier loads and more frequent travel at higher speeds.

Seventy workers were engaged in the final stretch between Bar Giora and Jerusalem, and this involved an expenditure of IL850,000.

**Work was carried out in "an historic place," it was stated, where the Ottoman authorities laid the first railway track between Jaffa and Jerusalem 70 years ago. The old rails, which were taken out dated to Ottoman and British Mandatory times.**

It was also reported that a new method to eliminate possible collisions between trains travelling on the same track, which has saved Israel Railways IL46,000, has been instituted. It consists of a unique arrangement in which it is possible to transmit from the train a special combination of coded impulses which automatically clear either end of the line without being affected by other broadcasts. It costs only IL2,000 to install, compared to IL48,000 for the other system of building a box at the side of the line and laying an electric cable to it.

## Nazi Victims Complain Of Treasury's Treatment

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — An association of persons permanently disabled by their sufferings in Nazi concentration camps on Tuesday complained to the press that its members are being slighted by the Government in the matter of compensation.

The Finance Ministry is charged with executing the Law for the Compensation of Nazi Victims—1957, and the Association of Victims of Nazi Persecution say that it is making a bad job of it.

Mr. Y. Bijunski, Vice-Chairman of the Association, declared here that only 2,000 persons of the 16,000 who applied for compensation have received payment. Moreover, doctors appointed by the Ministry have been overstrict in determining the percentage of disability, he alleged.

Under the Law, only persons with 25 per cent disability or more are entitled to compensation, at the rate of IL1,330 per percentage point per month.

Were the invalids to get their compensation directly from Germany — as is the practice in other countries — they would have been considerably better off, Mr. Bijunski declared.

SOME 1,000 high school pupils and their teachers sat in on a general rehearsal of the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra for the first time on Tuesday.

## Two Beershebans Give Their Toys

First to bring in their toys in Beersheba for *The Jerusalem Post* Toy Fund were Yuval, 6, and Hedva Amidror, 7, who donated a sackful.

In Tel Aviv, a 17-year-old who wishes to remain anonymous organized a collection among friends and brought IL80 to the Z.O.A. House collection centre. Cafe California's effort is gaining momentum and they yesterday emptied IL90 from the collection sack they have placed in the centre of the Cafe.

Plans are progressing for the Hanukka Ball which the Sharon Hotel is holding on December 31, for the benefit of the Toy Fund. The price of the ticket will include dinner at nine and breakfast at dawn with unlimited drinks.

Yesterday's cash contributions of IL581,375 brought the total to IL3,822,975, and include:

IL99. Cafe California (2nd contribution), Tel Aviv.
IL80. Anonymous Collection at Z.O.A. House, Tel Aviv.
IL50. Kesselman & Kesselman, Tel Aviv, Ladies' Group of Lebanon Lodge, Haifa, in appreciation of the successful trip to Eilat arranged by Mr. Margalit of Egged's Haifa Touring Dept., Mr. Dov Neeman, the guide, and Mr. Yehuda Cohen, the driver.
$26. Mrs. Leonard Cristall, Winnipeg, Canada.
IL30. Freemason Lodge, "Libanon," Haifa.
IL21.500. Staff of the Central Laboratory of Kupat Holim, 54 U.N.O. Ave., Haifa.
IL20. Mrs. Z. Kornfeld, Tel Aviv.
IL18. Raya Hirsh in memory of her beloved father, Samuel Mallach, who died recently in Buenos Aires.
IL17. Immigrants from Czechoslovakia on their 20th anniversary in the country, Tel Aviv.
IL15. Betty, Helen, Judy Steele, Perth, Australia.
IL10. Van Peristein Ltd.: In memory of Shaul Henigman; Tel Aviv. R.G.: Alfred Obermayer; B. in memory of E.G. and C.G.: Haifa.

## Three Soldiers Hurt As Truck Overturns

ACRE. — One soldier was badly hurt and two others slightly injured when the truck in which they were travelling skidded on the wet highway and overturned at the Acre-Safad-Haifa circle. The injured were sent to hospital in the North.

After turning over three times, the truck landed upright in a deep drainage ditch full of water.

Two other passengers, both soldiers, escaped drenched but unhurt. The police provided them with dry clothing and sent them back to their units. *(Itim)*

## Fever May Be Caused By Dog Fleas

The Ministry of Health is investigating cases of short-term fever, occurring without a clear cause, that appear recurrently in Tel Aviv and vicinity, it was officially announced yesterday. There has been no increase in this kind of case, it was stated, but some authorities now believe they are caused by dog's fleas.

Dog owners are reminded by the Pest Extermination Department to dust their pets frequently with anti-flea powder.

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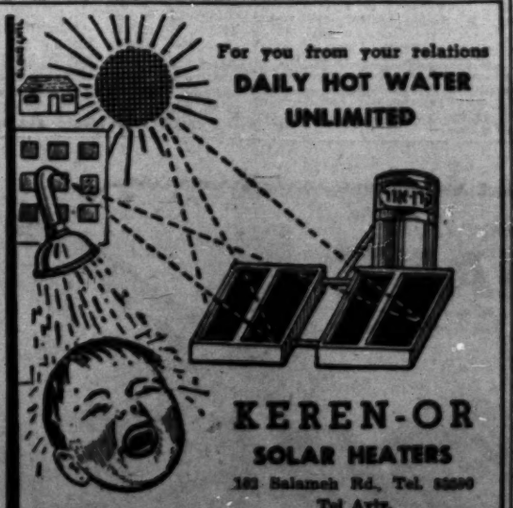

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# Afghanistan Places Itself in Pawn to Russia

## *May Be Redeemed by Rapprochement with Pakistan and U.S. Aid*

By ANDREW WILSON

*who has just returned from Afghanistan. President Eisenhower is expected in Kabul today.*

ALL through the night, in the icy gorge which carries Afghanistan's great North Road across the Hindu Kush, we met Russian lorries coming down from the border with cables and radar equipment. Their noise echoed back from the rock walls and their dust stung my face as I perched on top of the Afghan bus. Early next morning, obsessed by the need to know what the Afghans really felt about their pressing northern neighbours, I decided that the only way out was to become a Russian.

It was not difficult. Almost anywhere north of Kabul the Afghans take you for a Russian anyway, and the crew of the petrol wagon on their way to the big new Oxus river port of Qizil Qala were no exception. I asked my fare using the usual Russian's basic Persian and then, when we had started, became more articulate.

The outcome was more than bargained for. In Kabul I had been led to believe that whatever the Russians had done for Afghanistan in the way of "aid," the northern population was indifferent or hostile to Russian influence on national and religious grounds. This is not so. I was received with friendship which exceeded the already wide bounds of ordinary Afghan hospitality.

### Busy Soviet Technicians

My life as a Russian lasted five days. Then at Mazar-i-Sharif I was shown into a hotel room which I was to share with a real Russian. On his bed lay the frugal luggage of a Russian in Afghanistan: a toothbrush, a razor, a spare pair of underpants. My driver after reassuring me that I was the nicest Russian he had ever met, went off to the authorities with a certificate that he had delivered my live body.

Fifteen minutes later I was visited by two Russian officials.

"Who are you?"

"An Englishman."

"The Government does not allow you to stay in this room."

"Whose Government?"

"The Government of the Soviet Union."

There are more than 1,000 Soviet technicians in Afghanistan. There are also some dozens of Czechs, Poles and Rumanians. They live a life of stark simplicity and work from dawn till dusk. Their activities extend from the building of municipal silos and petrol depots to the construction, on the Oxus, of a 35,000,000-kilowatt hydro-electric scheme. But the greatest project of all is the driving of a 110-kilometre highway and tunnel through the heart of the Hindu Kush.

In the coming year 50 per cent of the work will be completed and the final stages are planned for the following year. It will then provide, through the river port at Qizil Qala, a direct route from Soviet industrial (and military) centres to Kabul.

A similar highway is being built from the Soviet railhead at Kushka to Herat and Kandahar.

Both these works, which for the first time in history give Russia access to the south of the Hindu Kush, would have thrown a British Government of the 1870's into apoplexy. But Soviet aid to Afghanistan also takes other directions.

At Farah — 130 kilometres from the Persian border — a new military airfield is about to be built with Russian aid. Its addition to the existing Russian-built bases at Mazar and Bagram, north of Kabul, may seem rather much for an air force still rated in international reference books at a handful of fighters. But the reference books are out of date. Soviet equipment and training have now raised the Royal Afghan Air Force to a fighter strength of about 60 MIG-17 jets (some of them with radar) and a bomber strength of between 12 and 24 Il.28s.

### Army Re-equipped

A similar improvement has been taking place in the 60,000-strong army. Three years ago it was a brave but ramshackle affair with the world's finest museum of antique field-guns. Today it has an armoured division strength of modernized Soviet T34 tanks, a mountain warfare brigade group, two motorized infantry brigades and a full range of artillery up to 152-mm. Soviet guns. Its infantry is equipped with the latest Soviet mortars and machine-guns, and there is an obvious rise in morale.

All this equipment (which includes about everything except Soviet combatant officers) has been purchased, on the evidence of Afghan Government accounts, with a very modest loan worth $25,000. One may well ask its purpose.

Whatever the Soviet design in providing it, the Afghan interest in acquiring it was internal. The kingdom founded 200 years ago by Ahmed Shah Durrani has never been easy to rule.

Of a so-far uncounted population of 8,000,000 to 15,000,000 a majority — Tajik, Uzbek and Turcoman — is alien to the ruling Pathans and linked by blood with peoples across the northern and western borders. In the central mountains, fighting with the Hazara descendants of Jenghiz Khan was ended only a few years ago by the physical removal of the Hazara leaders.

Mohammed Daud's Government of royal cousins has been trying to cement the cracks by the promotion of Pushtu as a national language and the plantation in the north of whole Pathan communities. It has doggedly pursued the Pakhtunistan campaign which, by adding to Afghanistan some two million Pathans now living in Pakistan, would tip the ethnic balance. But the effort can be only partly successful.

Afghanistan is now indebted abroad to the extent of $200m. — three-quarters of this sum to the Soviet Union and Czechoslovakia.

The West (which means America) has failed partly by its scruples and partly by tactical mistakes in the outlay of its money. Of nearly $145 million in grants and loans (chiefly grants) one of the largest allocations has gone to a slow-moving project remote from the public eye: the enormous Helmand Valley development scheme in the south-western wastes.

The scheme, conceived by the Afghan Government on the lines of the Tennessee Valley Authority, has had a bad history. Elaborate ground work and rising costs inflated the original estimates. Then, as the project took shape, the hoped-for wheatland was found to be heavy with salt.

The fault was not American, and is not irreparable. But its rectification will take up to 15 years.

The second great American allocation has been for transport development — the building up of a civil airline, the construction of Kandahar Airport, the provision of trucks. These projects are conscientious and beneficial but, like American work in education, they bear no comparison in the public eye with Russian silos and asphalt town streets.

It has been left to the West Germans, by their work in the textile industry and building the dam which gives Kabul electric power (things which one can see), to maintain — almost single-handed — the Western reputation for quick and thorough work.

Afghanistan's involvement with the Soviet Union has been furthered more than anything else by one thing: the Pakhtunistan campaign. It fundamentally altered her trade pattern and divided her from the one country with whom she had every future interest in common.

Today there are signs that this disastrous campaign is running down. There was not one educated Afghan who did not express to me his hope that it would be brought to an end by some kind of compromise.

Perhaps the time has come — and President Eisenhower's fleeting visit to Kabul could confirm it — to make a fresh attempt to settle Afghan-Pakistan differences. There are chances of concession on the Pakistan side — the old idea of a free port, for instance — which would recover much of the ground which the free world has lost.

Such a *rapprochement* would not reverse Afghanistan's situation tomorrow: but it could restore to the Afghan Government some freedom of manoeuvre and release it from the Soviet embrace, which gets tighter and tighter every month.

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# *Eisenhower Reassures Indians*

By CYRIL DUNN

NEW DELHI (OFNS). — WHATEVER may be said officially, Indians in general connect President Eisenhower's visit here with what now dominates their lives — the frontier dispute with Communist China. Nobody supposes the U.S. President to be coming all this way simply to open the American exhibit at the World Agricultural Fair.

Most Indian eyes are fixed on the blank spaces which occur with unusual frequency in the President's published programme. It is assumed that these will be filled by long private talks between Mr. Eisenhower and Mr. Nehru. From this meeting of great minds, Indians hope something indefinable may emerge to ease the strain of their anxiety.

In such circumstances, Indians can raise slogans against the visitor only if they wish to seem pro-Chinese. Nothing could be further from the desires of those currently most active in demonstrating against the Indian Government — the Socialists and the right-wing Hindus. As for the Indian Communist Party, its members may give vent to their natural distaste only by contraverting the Meerut Line, so recently and so painfully marked out, which commits them to the firmest patriotism about the sanctity of Indian soil.

It is as chief and often misjudged begetter of peaceful co-existence with the Communist world, welcoming the latest and greatest convert to Gandhian doctrine, that India wishes, with forgivable smugness, to be seen at this historic moment.

The common people of India will no doubt welcome this chance to show gratitude to the biggest single source of their country's foreign aid. What Indians hope to get out of the visit is, on the other hand, less readily defined.

No intelligent Indian expects or even desires any kind of new alliance to blossom out of the Nehru-Eisenhower talks. They hope rather that these two statesmen may be able between them accurately to determine what motives inspire the Chinese Communists in their Himalayan adventure and so help India to counter them.

But for the generality the visit must surely mean a profound reassurance, a feeling that they are not after all quite so alone as it sometimes seems and the cheering conviction that Mr. Khrushchev's current friend is also a friend of theirs.

Meanwhile, the U.S. Information Service here, knowing Indians to be a spiritual people, has issued along with many other handouts a copy of the President's favourite prayer.

# MUSICAL DIARY

## Rare Opportunity

**The Ramat Gan Chamber Orchestra, Franklin Choset, conductor; Melvin Keller, clarinet (Tel Aviv, Ohel Hall, December 3) Roy Harris: Prelude and Fugue for String Orchestra; Aaron Copland: Concerto for Clarinet and String Orchestra; Samuel Barber: Adagio for Strings; William Schuman: Symphony for Strings.**

THE sixth season of the Ramat Gan Chamber Orchestra opened with the first of a series of five concerts dedicated to contemporary American music. The series is under the patronage of the United States Ambassador, Mr. Ogden Reid, and the United States Information Agency in Washington made the material performed available. Orchestra and conductor should be warmly congratulated for this undertaking. American contemporary music is neglected and this is a rare opportunity for the music public to make its acquaintance.

The programme included three first performances in Israel, in itself a daring thing. It demanded the utmost of conductor, players and audience, and everyone's good intentions not withstanding the performance was not always satisfactory.

The first item, Harris' Prelude and Fugue, made no impression whatsoever. It is in itself not overly interesting, and Mr. Choset gave it a pale, dynamically uninteresting reading.

Copland's Concerto is a charming work, with a beautiful and deeply felt elegy-like first movement and lively humorously syncopated second one. The performance was something of an improvement on the previous work. Mr. Choset created an atmosphere in the first part, but the second lacked life and colour. Mr. Keller played in a conventional manner and the charm of this music was only partly revealed.

But W. Schuman's Symphony for strings was a real compensation. There can be no doubt that it was the most interesting of all the works performed. It is an intricate yet most convincing piece of music, and Mr. Choset gave it a vigorous and colourful performance.

In conclusion we would like to touch on a subject which is rather a painful one — our national anthem. We all know that "Hatikva" is no warrior song but in Mr. Choset's interpretation we had the impression of attending a funeral.

*B. BAR-AM*

## Lecture-Concerts

**"Bartok's Piano Works," played and explained by Jerome Lowenthal (Rubin Academy of Music, Jerusalem, December 7).**

THE Rubin Academy of Music in Jerusalem has embarked on several interesting series of lecture-concerts which will appeal to a wide circle of music-lovers. In cooperation with the Cultural Department of the Jerusalem Municipality it sponsors "Suite and Ballet" given on records and commented on by Nathan Mishori (every Wednesday), and six illustrated lectures on "The History of Jazz" by Melvin Keller (every other Sunday). But by far the most stimulating series started on Monday night, when Jerome Loewenthal began his lectures on Bartok's Piano Music.

Pressing his brilliant pianistic technique into the service of his explanations, he not only displayed a deep knowledge of his subject but put it across in a most acceptable manner, interspersing his deductions with illustrative digressions into related arts and presenting the whole in an intimate and personal way. This series will definitely help make Bartok's piano music better understood and appreciated.

*Y. BOEHM*

## Abroad

**Lola Granetman played Josef Tal's Second Piano Concerto at a public Studio concert over the radio station of West Berlin, earning very complimentary reviews from all critics. Tal's work, which was played in the same programme with Petrassi, Barraud and Milhaud ("Adame Miroir"), was given priority in all reviews over the other compositions in this concert.**

**Lola Granetman, who appeared in Vienna with the Tonkunstler Orchester in Beethoven's Second Piano Concerto. According to R.W. in the "Kourier," her playing was "a pure pleasure, most musical, technically faultless, clear, precise and elegant." Last night the pianist gave an all-Beethoven evening in Berne in aid of the Swiss Children's Village of Kiryat Yearim.**

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**Raphael Sommer-Herz, the young Jerusalem cellist, passed the examination for the class "Etudes Superieurs" at the Paris Conservatoire, receiving the highest number of points amongst six successful candidates (there were 30 altogether). He commenced his studies with Marechal, teacher of Tortelier and other famous cellists.**

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**The London "Times" wrote of Tadeusz Kerner's recital at Wigmore Hall:**

**"....in reflective music there was real tenderness and poetry in his approach. Playing the music of his compatriot, Chopin, revealed the finer points of his musical make-up, and indeed miraculously transformed the tips of his fingers into far more delicate things than might have been thought possible earlier in the programme. Here he rushed insensitively through Bach's Chromatic Fantasy and Fugue and Mozart's sonata in F, K. 332, as if out to break all previous speed records. He bulldozed a path through Debussy's 'Submerged Cathedral.' Some miniatures by the Israeli composer Paul Ben-Haim proved pianistically attractive and effective even though of no great musical originality."**

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**Daniel Barenboim seems to have been a hit in Spain. After a great success in Valencia with the local orchestra in Mozart's Concerto, K. 488, and Brahms' Second Concerto, he was invited to other cities, including Madrid, where he played Beethoven's "Hammerklavier" Sonata and the Diabelli Variations. After his concert with the Radio Orchestra in Amsterdam, he was then recalled to Spain to appear in Madrid over television and in another recital there. In the paper "Madrid," J. Espinos Orlando compares young Daniel's performance of Beethoven with Arthur Rubinstein's Chopin in the most generous terms and adds that his "gifts are simply fabulous: clear, exact powerful technique; exquisite sound and diction; extraordinary musicality and magnificent schooling are evident in every aspect and display a perfect musician, in the way he sits, in his taste, in his expressive musical language."**

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**Mordechai Simoni, the Rubinstein Prize winner, gave 15 recitals in South America before returning to Brussels to continue his studies. He is scheduled to appear in recitals in Antwerp and Brussels and has been engaged to appear in London next season.**

Y. B.

# AT THE CINEMA

## Cloistered Brilliance

READING **The Nun's Story** by Kathryn C. Hulme it is difficult to imagine that there would be a motion picture in this quietly told tale of a Belgian girl who becomes a nun and, after a bitter inner struggle, renounces her vows after Belgium is invaded by the Germans in 1939. There is little outward drama and much detailed description of daily life in a convent but with the help of an excellent cast and a fine script by Robert Anderson and with his own high seriousness, good taste and sincerity, Fred Zinnemann has made a film that is compelling for the whole 150 minutes it takes to run off.

In the film (showing at the Armon David) as in the book, it is difficult to understand what led Gabriella to become Sister Luke, as it seems so clear that it is the desire to serve through medicine that is her passion and not the cloistered life, although her revolt against blind obedience and the compulsion to use her brains are easy to comprehend and sympathize with, especially for the sceptical, inquiring Jewish mind.

Audrey Hepburn gives a beautiful performance as Sister Luke, as do Dame Edith Evans as Mother Emmanuel and Dame Peggy Ashcroft as Mother Mathilde while Peter Finch is good in the small part of Dr. Fortunati. The photography, both in the Belgian scenes and in the Congo, is appealing and the Africans in the cast add a note of spontaneity and charm. Recommended. *S.W.*

NATURE NOTES

# Idyllic Ass

IN Haifa these days you can see a country idyll right in the middle of the lower town, in Jaffa Street. There an apple cart is stationed during the busy hours, and patiently standing before it is the she-ass drawing it. She is not lonely. There is a lovely, lively and long-legged light-grey foal by her side, and she nurses it from time to time and licks and grooms it affectionately.

When first I came to this country to live, almost 30 years ago, every second farmer at least had a donkey or a mule, or both. Donkeys were very cheap, the children loved riding them, and the farmer himself got to his fields and plantations without tiring himself out first by the long trudge in the sand if he rode his donkey. Even our doctor used to make his rounds on one.

With the building of so many hard roads, however, bicycles and Vespas have supplanted the donkeys and tractors the mules. There are places, though, where you can still see plenty of donkeys and mules and hinnies too — for hinny is the correct appellation for the offspring of a she-ass and a horse stallion. Mules should only be called so where the mother is a horse.

In Ramatayim, where I sat for 90 minutes waiting for my bus — but that is another story — I counted no less than 17 donkeys, all drawing little carts. That is, I suppose, because the village is the centre of a district where the outlying villages still lack hard roads.

*P. A.*

# *Export Premium for Brains*

Editor, The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — Israel has always prided herself on being a potential source of scientific "know-how." Optimists regard this as a factor which, if properly sold abroad, can help close our dollar gap.

How does it work out in practice? We are slowly but surely getting into the "know-how" market. Our scientific research is coming into demand; its export, produced at Technion City, is becoming an important factor in Haifa's economy. In addition to the U.S. Air Force private firms in that country are also showing interest in our scientific skill.

But what does the Treasury think of "know-how"? It doesn't even regard it as an export, eligible for premium, like textiles or metal goods, some with very low "added value." The exchange rate for research earnings still remains IL1.800 per dollar — this in spite of the fact that in research added value is practically 100 per cent. All you need is brains, a sheet of paper and a pencil. The Treasury may well be erring. Certain research projects can be ordered for less in some European countries, because of the low exchange rate allowed local scientists.

Scientists are convinced that they should be permitted the export premium, but how can the Treasury be convinced?

*Y. F.*

*(Name and Address Supplied)*
Haifa, October 16.

### Treasury Replies

**Your correspondent does not take into account the fact that the premium for certain categories of exports is given because of the special expenses connected with the production and marketing of products, such as transport to distant places, special competition factors, etc. This fact also explains why the premium is not the same for all kinds of exports and is, for example, smaller for goods in which we have a definite relative advantage, such as citrus.**

**As to the export of "know-how" — problems of transport do not exist here and there is no need to import raw materials; as your correspondent says, what is needed are brains, a sheet of paper and a pencil. These "exporters" of "know-how" themselves can attest to the fact that the relatively low pay in Israel gives us an added value in competing with other countries in this field. However, the Treasury is endeavouring to create suitable conditions for scientific operations in Israel and the export possibilities they involve.**

**One of the reasons for the relatively low level of production costs in Israel is the fact that the premium is not all-inclusive, and that local prices are based on the official exchange rate of the dollar.**

*SHLOMO AMIR*
*Director of Information and Public Relations Department of the Treasury*
Jerusalem, November 18.

## Readers' Letters

### HOSPITAL DEPOSIT

Editor, The Jerusalem Post

Sir,—On Thursday, October 29, at 5 p.m., I had to take my little daughter to hospital and since Bikkur Holim Hospital was on duty I took her there. After settling her down, I was told to see the man at the door to make arrangements. After taking particulars, he asked me to make a deposit. All I had was IL10 but I promised him to settle the following morning in the office. He insisted that I give him IL100, but reduced it to IL50 when I protested. As I did not have this, nor even a check, he wanted me to leave my diamond engagement ring. I was quite shocked at this and asked him whether my child was not enough of a deposit? In the end he agreed to accept my IL10 and reluctantly gave me a receipt.

My deposit was returned to me the following morning at the hospital office and the clerk told me I could pay in full when I took the child home. He also told me the hospital demanded deposits because on many occasions, children had not been taken home and false addresses had been given.

Since this porter is the first person one meets on coming to the hospital, his behaviour left an unfavourable impression on me notwithstanding the excellent medical and nursing care my daughter received. I do not think that I, personally, would return willingly to that hospital. The first impact is the most important, especially to a worried mother rushing her child to hospital.

At the same time, I would like to express my thanks for the meticulous and excellent medical attention shown to my daughter.

Yours, etc.

*MRS. A. BRAUNFELD*
Jerusalem, November 6.

### Bikur Holim Replies

**The doorkeeper's conduct was not justified in this case, and he has been reprimanded for it.**

**The practice of requesting deposits or guarantees when a patient is admitted to hospital outside of office hours was instituted in order to ensure that the patient's family should come to our office to complete the required formalities. To our great regret, many cases occur where a patient is admitted to the hospital and no one comes to fetch him later. Experience has taught us that when a deposit is given, someone does come to the office to make the necessary arrangements — and this is the object of requiring deposits after office hours.**

**May we, however, take this opportunity of emphasizing Mrs. Braunfeld's remarks on the excellent care that her child received at the hospital.**

*YOSEF COHEN*
*Secretary*
*The General Bikur Holim Hospital*
Jerusalem, November 26.

Mr. Bala Krisha, an Indian Yogi, now in Israel for a lecture tour, is here seen performing a "Lotus-posture" exercise at the inauguration ceremony of the Jerusalem Yoga Studio; although apparently sitting oriental-fashion on the floor, he is in fact "floating" a couple of inches above the ground, supporting his entire body weight upon his two arms while the legs are interlinked, with each foot touching the opposite arm.

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# Biblical Title Deeds

**Haboker** (General Zionist) notes that the opposition voiced by Saudia, Egypt and Jordan to Israel's plying the Straits of Tiran because the "Gulf is historically Arab" has brought about a U.N. decision to launch a survey of the legal status of "historic waters and bays." If the Arabs desire to create a new legal concept—original ownership — then we can refer the world to the Bible.

**Herut** is not in the least surprised by the Foreign Minister's statement that "Israel has no territorial claims" and that she is content with her present borders. Mrs. Meir and Mapai have always been ready to cede our birthright to different parts of the country, including Jerusalem and the Wailing Wall. But Mapai does not express the will of the nation.

**Hatzofe** (National Religious) says that those countries supporting the resolution to extend U.N.R.W.A. are actually abetting the Arab rulers in their vile game of toying with the lives and fortunes of hundreds of thousands of refugees. Had the civilized world enough courage to nip this game in the bud from the very start, it would have spared the refugees the perpetuation of their misery and itself the cost of their upkeep.

**Al Hamishmar** (Mapam) writes that the real snag in the resuscitation of the Palestine Conciliation Commission lies in the fact that the Arabs will not agree to conciliation. That being the case, there is no point in the Commission's offering the refugees a choice between return and compensation.

**Hamodia** (World Agudat) considers the decision to abolish road transport subsidies justifiable. The public will not be convinced that the present fares do not cover expenses until the cooperatives agree to give up their monopoly or submit to public supervision of their administration.

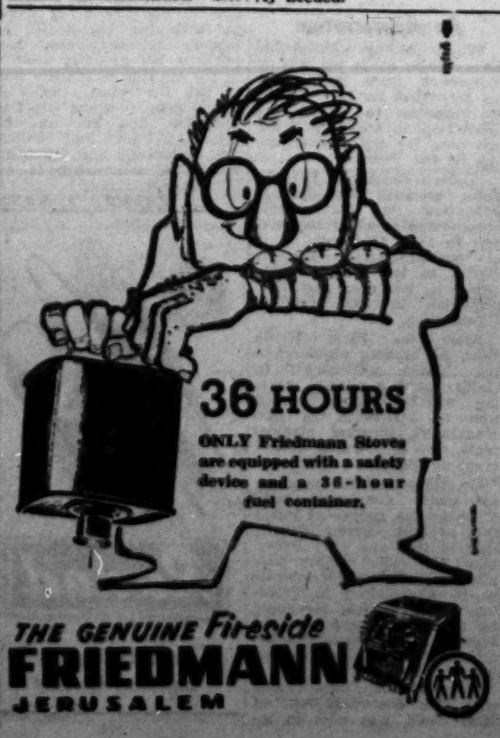
# *Savants Fete H.U.*

By S. J. GOLDSMITH
Jerusalem Post Correspondent

LONDON. — TO have Lord Samuel and Lord Beveridge at the same gathering is a rare event. The last time it happened was years ago. Both men are now well in the eighties. But the Friends of the Hebrew University had them both at a dinner for Prof. S. Sambursky, and also a warm message from Niels Bohr and the presence of Prof. R. E. Peierls, the Nobel Prize winner of three years ago, who is the holder of this year's Medal of the Royal Society. Sir Ben Lockspeiser was in the chair, and a galaxy of scholars, scientists, industrial tycoons and merchant princes made up the audience.

Sir John Cockroft compared the development of the Physics Department of the Hebrew University to the development of the Cavendish Laboratory at Cambridge 80 years ago. The parallel was striking, he said, and there was every sign that the results would be on the same level.

Incidentally £135,000 were raised at the gathering for the project of the Physics Department, but the tributes to the Hebrew University, and Israel generally, from such quarters were surely even more important and valuable than the funds, however badly needed.

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